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### Items of Interest

This firm was established in 1870 as a family business by the late Peter de Jager and is been carried on in the same tradition of business honesty as laid down by the Founder ninety years ago, by his son Degenaar de Jager assisted by his son.

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- 2-39 Over 500 varieties of Tulips are offered with a full description of the colour and habits of each variety.
- 41-70 Over 325 varieties of Daffodils and Narcissi consisting of the most recent introductions for the Collector with a wide range of the Standard varieties.
  - 52 Collections of Narcissi suitable to exhibiting and for the garden together with our Mixtures of all sections for naturalizing and for large plantings.
- 70-73 Over 30 varieties of Hyacinths for exhibition, indoor and garden culture.
- 74-100 The largest selection of Miscellaneous Bulbs yet offered, over 400 varieties of 40 groups of hardy, interesting and easy to grow bulbs which are too often omitted for the garden.
- () The figures within parentheses represent the approximate heights and time of flowering, mentioned in the descriptions, in our Nurseries.
- \* For easy reference and as a guidance to our customers, we marked those Tulips and Hyacinths varieties, which we think are the most suitable for forcing.

A number of varieties are offered in capitals and which we can especially recommend.

Customers are invited to examine the goods on arrival and to check the contents of their consignment. Paper bags should be opened immediately so as to allow fresh air to reach the bulbs and kept in a cool, dry place till planting.

**Autumn-Flowering Bulbs.** Owing to the early flowering of these bulbs orders must be received before the 15th August.

- 80-81 Colchicum and Autumn-flowering Crocus.
  - 85 Cyclamen.
  - 99 Sternbergia.

#### **Business Terms and Directions**

Stocks in Hamilton, Massachusetts. We carry a complete stock of all types of de Jager's superior Dutch and American grown bulbs and plants to be available in season at our warehouses at 188 Asbury Street (just off Route 1A) South Hamilton, Mass., from where all orders will be packed and shipped.

Free delivery to all points in the U.S.A. for all orders amounting over \$ 5.00. For smaller orders please add an additional 50 cts. for handling and postage charges.

Payments. Unless otherwise arranged our terms are cash with order please and all checks, money orders etc. should be made payable to P. de Jager & Sons Inc. No C.O.D. orders. There will be a 5% cancellation charge in case order is cancelled before being shipped.

Quality and Guarantee. We guarantee our bulbs and plants to be top size, true to name, clean, healthy and to be of the finest and best quality the year produces. All Dutch bulbs and plants offered in this catalog are thoroughly examined for their density and soundness by Dutch and American inspectors before leaving our Nurseries at Heiloo, Holland and subsequently certified by an authorized official of the Dutch Government Phytopathological Service Department. However, we cannot be held responsible as to the flowering results and crop, which may occur due to conditions beyond our control, such as extreme weather conditions or improper care on part of the planter.

**Price calculation.** 50 bulbs of one variety may be obtained at the 100 rate, 25 at twice the dozen price and 6 bulbs at the rate per dozen.

Less than 6 bulbs of one variety cannot be ordered unless they are offered in the catalog in quantities less than 6.

Early orders are always greatly appreciated.

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## DE JAGER'S GOLD MEDAL TULIPS

There is no question that the various races of the Tulip rank in popularity as the most attractive of the Spring-flowering bulbs. They are easy to cultivate with an almost unlimited choice of colours which give a pleasant charm to the garden from March to the end of May. As in Narcissi, so in Tulips there are several distinct varieties. The Tulipa Species include varieties that are the earliest to bloom and so bring a gay colour in the garden almost before the winter has departed. Early in April the Single Early Tulips begin to bloom heralding the advent of another Summer. A week or so later the Double Early Tulips spread their charm with their gay coloured peony-like flowers. The Mendel and Triumph next appear with their long sturdy stems and wonderful shades to bridge the gap until May when the magnificent Darwin, Cottage, Lily-flowering, Parrot, Breeder and Double Late Tulips provide the fascinating shades with which nature has so richly endowed these types.

Collections of Tulips. Our Collections are intended to meet the requirements of Customers who may not have the time to make a studied selection of named varieties or perhaps may not be too familiar with the many varieties but desire a comprehensive range of shades. We select varieties from our named stocks that are good garden varieties and easy to grow, as each package has the name and colour attached, the Collections can be arranged and planted as desired. All bulbs are top size and carry our assurance of your satisfaction.

Outdoor culture. Planting can be done from late September until the end of November in any ordinary well drained soil, a dressing of well-rotted manure, compost or bone meal is a valuable addition to the soil but when manure is used it should be dug in deeply and not allowed to come in direct contact with the bulbs. Plant 4 inches deep and 4 to 6 inches apart. A trowel should be used in preference to a dibber as this usually gives a pointed hole in which case the bulbs rest in an air pocket which generally leads to trouble, the base of the bulbs should rest firmly on the soil. It is not advisable to plant Tulips in the same bed in succession unless the soil has been renewed, if this is necessary the soil should be refreshed to a depth of at least one foot but if this is not possible the use of Botrilex as a soil dressing is recommended. It is advisable when making a planting of bulbs in sectional colours to study the height of each variety as given by the figures in inches after each name as the selection of one variety growing 5 or 6 inches higher than the others spoils the symmetrical effect and always draws attention to this point rather than to the beauty of the blooms.

For Forcing: Early Tulips (single and double) including Mendel Tulips are suitable for the earliest forcing, while Darwin and Triumph Tulips are for late forcing. After planting and plunging the Tulips it will take at least 10–12 weeks, before the shoots and sprouts are high enough for them to be brought into a dark room at a temperature of 55–60 F, thus allowing the stems to lengthen. After 10 days to two weeks the Tulips can be removed into a light warm room. For a few days, the bulbs should be covered with some paper before exposing to the full light. Tulips should never be hurried and bottom heat and draught should be avoided. Generally speaking, Amateurs should never bring in the bulbs, until the shoots are 3 to 4 in. high and after the middle of January.

**Origin:** The first time Tulips were ever mentioned was in 1554, when Busbequis found a few specimen near Constantinople. Six years later, Carolus Clusius brought some of these Tulips to Holland and in 1601 he described 19 varieties in full detail and added 5 pictures. Dodonaeus wrote about Tulips in his Kruydtboek 1618 and made three different sections. Most of the Tulips had broken colours and this was considered very fashionable. In 1634–1637, during the Tulipmania, fantastic prices were paid for bulbs, e.g. 1 Semper Augustus \$ 2200.—, weight 2000 aces. The bulbs were sold per 'ace', one ounce is 5900 aces and a good Tulip bulb weighs now 7000 aces.

## Darwin Tulips

#### (May-flowering)

We confidently recommend this late-flowering section of self coloured Tulips with their stately bearing and rich colours. They deserve universal attention and are most valuable in the garden, borders etc. because of their brilliant colours and their long upright stems. The Darwins flower after the Triumph Tulips and are excellent for cutting, just at the time when most spring flowers are over and there is scarcity of flowers. As cut-flowers they are decorative in vases and last a long time in water.

Origin: A collection of Tulips imported from the North of France by Messrs. Krelage & Son at Haarlem. The actual origin is not known, but they were offered and brought into circulation in 1889,

when they caused a real sensation, because of their long stems and fine colours.

For Forcing: Varieties marked with an asterisk (\*) are suitable for late forcing and they should never be forced in too high a temperature and should be watered moderately. Darwin Tulips cannot be had in flower much before February, with the exception of the varieties Wm. Copland and Rose Copland which may be brought into the greenhouse for gentle forcing about the end of December.

#### COLLECTIONS OF TALL GIANT DARWIN TULIPS

Collections made up to give entire satisfaction. The distinct and reliable varieties produce a harmonious display of gorgeous colours, the envy of all who can appreciate their loveliness.

25	Bulbs,	5	each	of	5	named	varieties,	separately	bagged,	our	selection			•	\$ 2	.75
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Rainbow Mixture of Darwin Tulips. Especially blended and made up from named varieties flowering at the same time and producing a gorgeous display of the most brilliant and contrasting colours. Strongly recommended for massing in beds and borders. The mixture may also be largely grown for cut-flowers.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.25 per 100; \$ 19.00 per 250

Aberdeen (Abe Lenstra) (28), A.M. Haarlem 1950, silvery-rose merging with silvery-grey at margin of petals a delightful colour combination and a splendid variety in conjunction with purple shades and in groups among evergreens. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Abraham Lincoln (28), an outstanding colour of bright carmine flushed mahogany, blue at base, perfectly shaped flower of heavy texture and good substance, firmly poised on its tall stem, ideal bedder and one that will give satisfaction in any position. \$2.10 per doz.; \$14.50 per 100

Ace of Spades (24), beautifully large oval shaped flower of deep blackish maroon carried on a strong stem, may be regarded as an excellent variety. \$2.50 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100

Afterglow (28), distinct rose-shaded apricot-orange flower with pale orange margin, inside deep salmon-rose shading to amber. Beautiful medium large flowers and a splendid variety for the garden. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

All Bright\* (28), a deep blood-red shade, base pure white broad ring of deep blue, a handsome, large globular flower of great substance, strongly recommended for bedding; a fine sport of Bartigon.

\$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

**Anjou** (24), A.M. Haarlem F.C.C. R.H.S. 1957, a beautiful canary-yellow colour edged buttercup yellow, a glorious Darwin of splendid substance and unusually rich tone; the flower is of great durability and gracefully carried on a sturdy stem, a variety of majestic appearance.

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

Ankara (26), a glorious primrose-yellow, the large flowers have great lasting qualities and are carried on strong stems, truly a fine Tulip. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

Arabian Nights (27), an outstanding Tulip having a large perfect egg-shaped flower of an unusual shade of maroon-red with darker sheen, strong garden plant. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

ARISTOCRAT\* (30), A.M. Haarlem, soft purplish violet rose with lighter edge; a magnificent variety of robust habit and extremely strong constitution with large flowers of great size and splendid carriage; a real aristocrat among Tulips and strongly recommended for bedding (see illustration page 5).

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100



Golden Harvest

Arlington (28), the sparkling blood-red flowers are of striking splendour, large flowers are held on strong stems of perfectly upright habit, a very effective variety.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Baronne de la Tonnaye (30), a splendid bright rose variety paler at margin and with white base; medium large flowers of great substance producing a gorgeous display in any position, unrivalled for bedding. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100

Baronesse van Heeckeren (26), A.M. Haarlem 1953, a fine brilliant deep scarlet flower of excellent quality and substance and of a particular strong constitution. The large, well-shaped flowers are held on erect stems. This variety of recent introduction may be classed among the upperten of Tulips.

\$ 2.60 per doz.; \$ 18.50 per 100

Bartigon\* (28), cochineal-red shade, base pure white with broad ring of deep blue, a large globular flower of great substance, excellent for bedding.

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100

Blue Amiable (25), lilac-mauve shaded purple with bright blue base, a medium large flower of perfect shape and great substance, excellent for the garden and cutting, does well with yellow carpeting plants. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

Blue Perfection (28), lovely lavender-blue with white base, a beautiful variety with slightly pointed and reflexed petals of solid texture and great charm. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Blue Ribbon (28), rich deep mauve flushed with a distinct purple-blue hue. A gorgeous large flower perfectly formed and of strong texture borne on a rigid stem. \$ 1.95 per doz.; \$ 13.50 per 100

Breitner (24), F.C.C. Haarlem 1951, A.M.R.H.S. 1958, a handsome dark blood-red gradually merging into bright red, a superb Tulip for bedding because of its strong sturdy growth, one of the latest to bloom. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

CHARLES NEEDHAM (26), possibly the best brilliant red Darwin Tulip yet introduced, the large well formed flowers are carried on strong stems, colour is really outstanding for its brilliancy. Strongly recommended for bedding. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

China Town (28), a broad flower with a deep purplish-violet colour and a blue undertone, petals are pointed and slightly reflexing, very outstanding. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

City of Haarlem (29), brilliant scarlet and large blue base with white halo, a beautiful gigantic flower of perfect form with unusual lasting qualities borne on a stout stem and one of the best varieties under cultivation. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Clara Butt (25), soft delicate pink, flushed salmon-rose, base white with small blue-grey markings, a pleasing shade and a nice flower of good substance and of perfect form, very strongly recommended for outdoor culture. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

Corneille (28), very deep rosy-red colour; the large substantial yet beautiful shaped flower is carried on a sturdy stem, which renders it an ideal bedder. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

**Demeter\*** (28), deep violet-blue, a magnificent very early-flowering Darwin producing a large flower; it blooms much before the other Darwin Tulips and should therefore not be included in a combined bedding arrangement, can be forced from December 20th. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

**Dorrie Overall** (30), clear lilac-blue, somewhat lighter at the edge; a magnificent large flower of great substance and carried on a tall and strong stem, excellent variety for the garden in combination with yellow Tulips or yellow flowered carpeting plants. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100

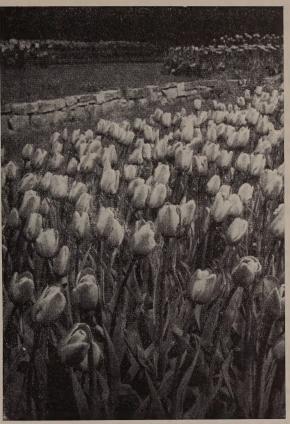
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**Drammen** (27), large solid flower of a very distinct soft lilac, inside somewhat deeper and more vivid, white base, black anthers, apart from being a lovely cutflower it creates a marvellous display in the garden. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

- **Duke of Wellington** (28), a delightful pure white flower of good form and character with cream anthers and base, the large flower has fine lasting qualities and is carried on a good stem (see illustration page 9). \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Early Sunrise (26), a lovely soft rosy-pink flower with faint featherings on outside of flower, inside bright salmon-pink. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Eclipse (28), glowing crimson-maroon self coloured flower with a steel-blue base, the large and beautiful flowers are of unusual substance and of a handsome open form, one of the best red Darwins for planting in front of Evergreens. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Farncombe Sanders (30), geranium scarlet, tinged somewhat lighter, a beautiful refined flower and this grand Darwin Tulip cannot be too highly recommended for bedding, very effective against Evergreens. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100
- Florence Nightingale (22), A.M. Haarlem 1950, vermilion-lake-red, one of the most beautiful Tulips and of a particularly clear colour, outstanding for perfect poise and upright habit, a very desirable and pleasing variety for the garden (see illustration page 10). \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Flying Dutchman (28), A.M. Haarlem 1954, F.C.C. Haarlem 1960, a brilliant scarlet-red flower of perfect shape and texture which is carried on a strong stem. An ideal garden variety and a most valuable flower for the spring enrichment of the border. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Giant (Goliath) (31), very rich deep purple shaded purple-blue, a real gigantic Tulip of vigorous growth perfectly formed and of strong texture, borne on a rigid stem lasting a long time in perfect condition. Ideal for bedding. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Glacier (Wildlust) (26), one of the best pure white Darwin Tulips in cultivation, it opens a very pale cream turning to pure white as the flower ages. Large oval-shaped flowers, having a white base and white anthers. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- GOLDEN AGE (26), deep buttercup yellow, faintly suffused soft orange, a glorious Tulip of outstanding beauty and imposing habit, the bold flowers are held on tall stiff stems. Strongly recommended for the garden. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- **Golden Harvest** (28), golden-yellow, classified as a Cottage Tulip but in our opinion it is equal to the best golden-yellow Darwin Tulips so far raised; a Tulip with a splendid carriage of perfect form and strong texture; outstanding for bedding purposes (see illustration page 3).
- \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100 Golden Niphetos (28), F.C.C. Haarlem 1957, A.M. R.H.S., deep sulphur and primrose yellow overlaid with golden yellow to the top of the flower, a beautiful coloured sport of the well-known Niphetos with all its good characteristics.

  \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- Good Gracious, see under Cottage Tulips page 13.
- **Horstendael** (26), a magnificent violet-blue new introduction, a beautiful long shaped flower of perfect shape and great substance, a most effective garden variety and charming cut-flower.
  - **\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.50** per 100
- Insurpassable (28), large lilac flowers of great substance and beauty, carried on tall strong stems, much recommended for forcing and for groups in the border. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- **King Harold** (26), rich blood-red fairly large flower of strong constitution, much adapted for mass planting, allround garden variety and still an old favourite. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- La Tulipe Noire (27), 'The Black Tulip', dark maroon of a very deep shade with a glittering velvety sheen almost black, an outstanding and famous variety because of its colour, flowers are large and of perfect form and good substance, very beautiful. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Lilac Time (Basra) (24), distinct soft lilac, outstanding in colour and form; the beautifully formed large flower is borne on a strong erect stem. A handsome and stately introduction of great merit and very effective in combination with yellow flowers. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Little Queen Bess (24), uniform pale pink, large egg-shaped flower with somewhat pointed petals on a graceful, but strong stem. Very effective in any position of the garden. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100
- Madame Butterfly (28), lilac-mauve with paler edge towards margin, a large flower of excellent form and great beauty carried on a strong stem, very attractive in the garden, recommended for groups planted among Evergreens. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Magier (Sky) (26), a very choice Tulip of unrivalled beauty and grace. Well formed flower, milky-white splashed soft purple at edges of petals. A variety of delicate yet vivid appearance which will be admired as a garden plant and as a cut-flower (see illustration page 10). \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Mahogany (28), a fine deep mahogany-red with much darker base, an outstanding colour among Tulips, a very large flower of excellent form and great beauty and recommended for planting in groups with soft coloured varieties. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

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Aristocrat

Mamasa (25), uniform bright buttercupyellow, beautifully shaped flower, carried on a strong tall stem, a deeper yellow edition of the well-known Yellow Giant and one of the newer yellow Darwins, a superb variety in every respect.

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

MARGAUX (24), a tremendous flower of deep wine-red broadly edged lighter, oval shaped with blue base, the lovely flowers are carried on strong stiff stems, one of the largest under cultivation.

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Maria Nicholson, (29) a most attractive rosy-red introduction of high standard, a well-built flower of strong constitution and an allround garden variety.

30 cts each.; \$ 3.00 per doz.

MARK ANTHONY (26), A.M. Haarlem 1944, a most impressive dark purple flower flushed with bronze, a magnificent Tulip because of its beautiful form and strong habit, an excellent garden variety.

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100

Mavourneen (30), a delicate bishop-violet edged silvery white with bluish base, one of the finest pastel shades; large flowers are held on stiff stems, a beautiful garden variety. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Midinette (26), this marvellous Tulip presents a wonderful combination of shades, pure white with pronounced rose-pink

band at the edges, a variety of great charm and graceful habit, delightful in any position in the garden. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100

Montgomery, see under Rembrandt Tulips page 33.

Nestinari (Firedancer) (28), a very lovely bright on blood red long and oval-shaped flower, inside dazzling scarlet-red, base black with yellow margin. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

NIPHETOS\* (29), uniform soft lemon-yellow with lighter centre and anthers, the very large flowers are held on tall strong stems looking very imposing and beautiful, in fact it is a 'persona grata' among all May-flowering Tulips on account of its exquisite beauty and habit, very highly recommended (see illustration page 9). \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Nobel (30), A.M. Haarlem 1940, A.M. Wisley 1957, an unusual rich toned deep red, the beautiful bowl-shaped flowers are held on tall strong stems, a magnificent all-round garden Tulip of superb quality. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Orange Cockade (24), a very choice new Tulip of unrivalled beauty and grace, producing very large well-formed flowers of bright orange intermingled with creamy-yellow, a beautiful colour combination of delicate yet vivid appearance. \$2.45 per doz.; \$17.00 per 100

Oranges and Lemons (25), a very fine orange-yellow and lemon, reminding one of oranges and lemons, a new shade in Tulips and the medium sized flowers are of a charming appearance, very attractive for the garden, recommended. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Ossi Oswalda (26), white suffused cherry-rose at edge of petals, looking particularly handsome and clean when planted in front of dark Evergreens, flowers are of true Darwin form and have great lasting qualities, a superb Tulip. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

Paladin (28), a large flower of clear plum-violet colour with a bright velvety sheen on outer petals, a distinct Darwin of good size and bearing, carried erect on a tall strong stem, really outstanding.

**\$ 1.40** per doz ; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Paul Richter\* (26), bright scarlet-red, a lovely cup-shaped Tulip of perfect form and ideal habit. A striking flower of blazing colour and good substance, a garden variety that will give satisfaction in any position. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100

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Perry Como (24), A.M. R.H.S. 1957, a fine coloured new introduction of salmon-rose with a flush of strawberry rose on outer petals, beautiful egg-shaped flowers of very strong constitution, extremely fine garden variety. \$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100

**Pink Supreme\*** (28), A.M. Haarlem 1949, a new introduction of outstanding colour and marvellous beauty, the perfectly formed flower being of very delicate bright pink somewhat lighter towards the edge of petals, it displays an effect of unusual charm in the garden (see illustration page 9).

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

- **Pride of Haarlem** (26), brilliant cerise-red, a large magnificent Tulip of vigorous growth and stately habit, excellent for bedding and splendid for gentle forcing. \$ 1.25 per doz.; \$ 8.75 per 100
- Pride of Zwanenburg (30), F.C.C. Haarlem, vivid salmon-pink almost one-toned giving it a warm delicate yet rich appearance, a highly desirable Tulip generally regarded as one of the choicest garden varieties yet introduced. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Princess Elizabeth\* (29), lovely soft rose with a white base, a handsome large flower, very showy for bedding or large groups in the border, good for forcing in February. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100
- **Prunus\*** (28), deep rose-pink with salmon glow, an extremely lovely Darwin and a Tulip of great brilliancy and delicate yet rich appearance. The very beautiful formed flower is of great durability, a splendid bedder and fine as a cut-flower. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100
- QUEEN OF BARTIGONS\* (28), F.C.C. Haarlem, F.C.C. R.H.S., a most delicate pure salmon-pink with yellow stamens (the only Bartigon-sport that have such stamens); considered one of the most outstanding Tulips at the recent shows; the graceful flowers are of great lasting qualities, excellent for all purposes. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- Queen of Night (30), one of the best of 'black' Tulips, it grows very large rich blackish maroon flowers, held on a very tall erect stem and it is very effective for rich colour effects among other Tulips in the border, extra good. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- Reliance (30), very fine lilac-blue with a most glorious hue, a very distinct Darwin Tulip of sturdy growth, the flower is very large and of splendid form. A stately Tulip of commanding pose and in our opinion the best of its colour.

  \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- **Reveil** (24), a beautiful Tulip of excellent quality and substance, a lovely shade of vivid rosy-red finely edged yellow, flowers are of good form and give a splendid account of themselves in the garden.

\$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

- Rose Copland\* (27), a lovely rich pink sport from the well-known William Copland and is equally valuable as one of the most popular and best for forcing. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- Scarlet Leader (28), an aristocrat among the scarlet group, producing an immense large flower of stately form and habit, a beautiful one-toned geranium scarlet with very slight bloom over outer petals. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100
- Scarlett O'Hara (34), brilliant scarlet red, a handsome cup-shaped flower with a clear yellow base, a superb seedling of Charles Needham and unmistakably the best scarlet yet raised, borne on a strong tall stem, highly recommended as one of the best in its colour. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Scotch Lassie (25), purest lilac-lavender with a darker inside and dark blue base, flowers are very large and slightly reflexing, one of the best of this colour. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- Silver Wedding (29), F.C.C. Haarlem 1955, a very attractive new variety of a lovely chrome yellow merging into creamy-white at top of petals, a most elegant garden Tulip, long lasting.

  \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- **SMILING QUEEN** (28), F.C.C. Haarlem 1939, A.M. R.H.S., one of the choicest pink Darwins of recent introduction, a soft satiny-pink with an exquisite flush of delicate rose-pink on outer petals. The flowers are large, carried on strong erect stems and have great lasting qualities, very beautiful (see illustration page 9). \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Sunkist (28), a superb deep golden-yellow Darwin Tulip, one of the best under cultivation, the glorious large flowers are held on tall erect stems and have unusual lasting qualities, a great improvement on Yellow Giant, extra good. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100
- SWEET HARMONY (26), F.C.C. Haarlem 1947, lemon yellow, edged ivory-white and yellow anthers. A perfect beauty for those who like this unique colour combination, a new introduction of enchanting beauty. A.M. R.H.S. 1955 (see illustration page 10). \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- The Bishop (30), the finest deep violet with small dull blue base and white halo, a magnificent large flower of unusual lasting qualities, they are very impressive and carried on tall strong stems, excellent for planting with yellow wallflowers. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- **The Peach** (27), a magnificent peach coloured Tulip with a large white centre, the fine large flowers have unusual lasting qualities, a very attractive variety (see illustration page 10).

**\$ 1.35** per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100

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Walt Disney (30), blood-red with scarlet edge, this magnificent new Darwin Tulip is unquestionably one of the best in its colour, perfect in form and carried on a sturdy stem, exceedingly beautiful for decoration purposes.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

- White City (30), perfect white flowers of fine shape are held on straight tall stems and have unusual lasting qualities, one of the finest of white Darwin Tulips; this flower of great beauty should not be missed in any garden. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- White Standard (20), A.M. Haarlem 1954, A.M. R.H.S. 1957, beautiful well-shaped, new introduction of the purest white throughout, producing a huge flower of stately habit on a stout strong stem, in every respect a noble garden variety.

  \$ 3.00 per doz; \$ 21.00 per 100
- William Copland\* (Sweet Lavender) (26), dull pale magenta, finest and earliest forcing Darwin Tulip, if forced the colour becomes a most beautiful soft lavender, not recommended for bedding.

  \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- William Penn (29), a fine oval-shaped flower of a soft claret-scarlet colour interior even more intense, very long lasting. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- William Pitt (28), deep brilliant scarlet tinged darker on outer petals, a beautiful Tulip, excellent for forcing, if forced it has a particular lovely colour. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- **Zwanenburg** (30), erect pure white flower borne on a strong stem, a very noble Tulip of great beauty and highly recommended for bedding. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

## New Darwin Hybrid Tulips

These new Darwin Hybrid Tulips are most exceptional because of their exciting brilliancy of colour, fabulous size and splendid stature. They are absolutely the largest Tulips yet raised, their recent introduction caused quite a sensation among the Dutch Growers and in preparing the present revision of the Tentative List of Tulip names, the Tulip-Committee has thought it wise to make a new Division (7) for these wonderful Tulips, results from a crossing between Darwin Tulips  $\times$  Tulipa Fosteriana.

- **Apeldoorn** (26), F.C.C. Wisley 1957, a beautiful very large oval-shaped warm orange-red flower of great substance and carriage, purple-black at base, without question a fine recent introduction and wonderful robust Tulip, highly recommended for the garden. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- Canopus, see under Fosteriana Tulips page 36.
- **DOVER** (26), A.M. Haarlem 1953, fascinating shade of oriental scarlet, purple-black base with yellow ring, a novelty of enormous size and outstanding beauty, this variety caused great sensation among the Dutch Growers when first shown, a charming and superior Tulip (see illustration page 19).

  \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- **Gen. Eisenhower** (24), brilliant scarlet goblet shaped flower, a wonderful hybrid of striking beauty, outstanding for vigour which gives it exceptional lasting qualities. \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- Gudoshnik (26), an outstanding flower of great beauty, creamy-peach faintly streaked and dusted rosy-red on outer petals, interior shiny buttercup-yellow with black anthers and purple base, very delicate. \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- HOLLAND'S GLORY (22), A.M. R.H.S. 1957, a warm dazzling scarlet of remarkable beauty having great lasting qualities, magnificent flowers of colossal dimensions with broad massive petals of refined finish and are held on very strong stems. In our opinion destined to become a leading variety for garden decoration (see illustration page 19). \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- **Lefeber's Favourite** (24), F.C.C. Haarlem 1953, F.C.C. Wisley 1957, brilliant scarlet-red, deep golden yellow base, a tall and well-formed flower of unusual strong substance with the character of a Darwin, but with the brilliancy of its oriental parents, a lovely flower that will bring charm and beauty in the garden. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Oxford (24), A.M. Haarlem 1953, H.C. Wisley 1957, vivid clear orange-scarlet with a very large yellow base, the charm of this Darwin hybrid arises from its glorious colour, a handsome variety of distinct character and commanding habit; another novelty of undescribable beauty.

  \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Parade (24), vivid scarlet-red of a blazing colour, large purple black base with yellow ring, a magnificent Tulip of unusual substance, a large glorious hybrid from this section, which will find a deserving place in every garden. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Red Matador, see under Triumph Tulips page 21.

## Breeder Tulips

#### (May-flowering)

These majestic Tulips have now gained important prominence in gardens, as their huge flowers which are held on heavy upright stems produce a most artistic effect. Their fascinating colours of rich shades and tints in glorious autumnal purple and gold and bronze orange, yellow, soft copper and combinations of such colours rival the glorious rich tints of Indian Summer and are not be found in other May-flowering Tulips. Because of their enormous size and vigorous growth, yet perfect in form and proportion, Breeder Tulips are a wonderful addition to the garden.

## COLLECTIONS OF GIANT BREEDER TULIPS WITH FASCINATING COLOURS

The varieties included in our collections of Breeder Tulips can be depended upon and are especially selected for their shades to give a good blending effect. All varieties are separately bagged and labelled.

25	Bulbs	, 5	each	of	5	named	varieties,	our	selection	٠							\$ 3.00
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- Choice Rainbow Mixed Breeder Tulips. A fine mixture made up from named varieties including many rare and beautiful shades and stimulating new colours. Start flowering by the second week of May and continuing to the very end of the Tulip season. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100
- Astrakan (28), an extremely large and strong golden edged flower of a soft magenta colour, inside pale mahogany-red, shaded golden-bronze. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- **Bacchus** (30), royal purple with a rich bloom over outer petals, a beautiful favourite with long oval-shaped flower and undoubtedly one of the most popular in this section, should have a place in every garden and excellent in combination with yellow wallflowers. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- **Barcarolle** (28), one of the richest violet-blue Tulips, best described as an improved Bacchus with the same dusky bloom on its outer petals, magnificent large flowers are carried on strong stems, recommended. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Bronze Queen (Clio, Biscuit) (25), bronzy apricot-yellow, inside bronzy amber with yellow base, large handsome flowers and a favourite of great beauty. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Cape Town (28), A.M. Haarlem 1954, vivid orange-bronze flushed mahogany-red, exceedingly large flower of perfect form and substance on a very tall strong stem, a variety of outstanding beauty and quality. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- **CHAPPAQUA** (34), F.C.C. Haarlem, a magnificent cherry-pink flower of perfect form and enormous substance, a variety of outstanding quality in every respect which is sure to create sensation wherever it is seen, late flowering. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100
- **Dillenburg** (26), charming salmon-orange colour, shaded with rose, the large flowers are produced on strong stems and are of great beauty and substance. Late. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.25 per 100
- **Dixie Sunshine** (27), soft yellow-beige with shadings of very pale lilac, inside is a light straw-yellow blending into a tan-yellow at margin, a variety of unusual colouring.
  - **\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100
- Georges Grappe (34), a soft mauve throughout with a clear blue base, a delightful variety of impressive beauty, strongly recommended for exhibition on account of its large flower and long stem. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Indian Chief (Meyerbeer) (34), reddish mahogany flushed with purple, the very large flowers are of great substance and of distinct shape carried on tall and strong stems; a very handsome and noble Tulip.
   \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Jan van Galen (26), A.M. 1949, rich brownish orange, large oval shaped flower carried on a tall strong stem. This beautiful variety is a great favourite in our Test Garden and deserves much attention.

  \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Jessy (34), F.C.C. Haarlem, deep clear coffee-brown flushed bronzy red with yellow base, a glorified tone of the well-known Louis XIV; a magnificent large flower held on a tall stiff erect stem, sweetly scented and highly recommended. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100



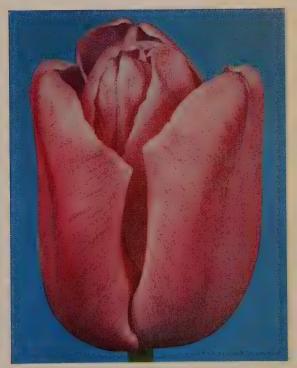
Darwin Tulip Smiling Queen \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 See page 6



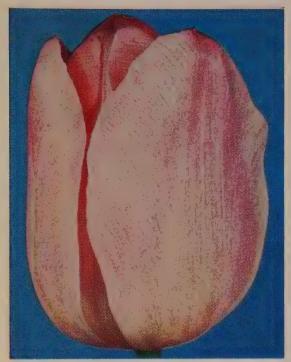
Darwin Tulip Niphetos \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100 See page 5



Darwin Tulip Duke of Wellington \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 See page 4



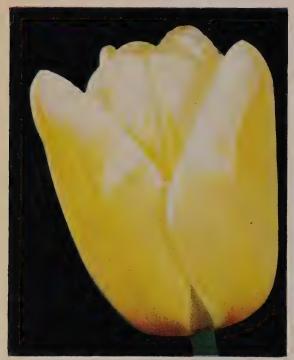
Darwin Tulip Pink Supreme \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 See page 6



Darwin Tulip The Peach \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100 See page 6



Darwin Tulip Magier (Sky) \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 See page 4



Darwin Tulip Sweet Harmony \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.50 per 100 See page 6



Darwin Tulip Florence Nightingale \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100 See page 4

John L. Baird (32), A.M. Haarlem 1953, a vivid coloured coffee-brown Tulip shaded orange, inside mahogany, producing enormous substantial flowers of strong constitution borne on very tall stiff stems.

**\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

KATHLEEN TRUXTON (27), a most remarkably and attractive coloured Breeder Tulip, being soft coffee-brown with a sheen of magenta on outer petals, edged orange-yellow. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Louis XIV (32), rich purple, heavily flushed golden-bronze at margin of petals, inside bronze, shading to bronzy-purple and lilac, a stately and handsome Tulip, globular flowers of gigantic size and one of the most distinct and beautiful varieties in this colour.

**\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

**Memphis** (26), very attractive lemon-yellow colour with a shot of violet on the edge. A fine bold shaped Tulip of a most unusual shade, one of the choicest varieties.

**\$ 1.75** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

Moroccan Beauty (26), a real Breeder Tulip, which may be best described as an improved Dom Pedro its colour is morocco-red, interior dark reddish mahogany with yellow base, a fine novelty with straight and sturdy stem, flowers are large and fragrant (see illustration page 19).

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100



Papago

Mount Royal (30), fine brownish purple colour and enormous size of flower, carried on a tall and strong stem, a recent introduction, an improvement on the well-known Louis XIV very attractive if yellow carpeting plants are used. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Orange Butterfly (Chinese Bandit) (26), a magnificent Tulip of a unique shade of chinese-red flushed bronzy-orange large oval-shaped flowers carried on strong stems. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

PAPAGO (32), F.C.C. Haarlem, deep brownish-red and rich scarlet-red inside with yellow base, a beautiful and distinct novelty with bold well formed flowers of great quality and finish carried on a very strong and long stem. One of the most attractive novelties ever raised in Breeders, late flowering.

\$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

**Pontiac** (34), F.C.C. Haarlem, a glorious mahogany-red colour with yellow anthers producing handsome large, oval-shaped flowers of stately habit on tall stems, a very fine garden Tulip, late.

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

**President Hoover** (27), rich tangerine-scarlet, interior shading to a softer tone, a very beautiful flashing creation with large flowers, perfect in form and proportion, lasting a long time in perfect condition even in adverse weather. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

Simon Bolivar (26), large flower of a vivid vermilion-orange held on a strong stem, ideal for cutting on account of its rare colouring. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

**SOUTHERN CROSS** (28), A.M. Haarlem, lemon yellow shaded bronze, a most handsome and showy variety of an unusual outstanding colour, the perfect flowers call the attention on account of their stately habit. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Sunset Serenade (26), beautiful formed large flower of a most distinct coloured pale bronze, flushed violet, a well-shaped magnificent Tulip on a tall strong stem. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Velvet King (Dreadnought) (25), dark glossy violet-purple with a tinge of plum colour and shaded black, yellowish base; a very large and erect flower, exceedingly beautiful for the garden or planting in borders, strongly recommended. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.50 per 100

**Yuma** (30), A.M. Haarlem 1949, a beautiful bright geranium-lake broadly edged orange, producing fine globular flowers of perfect form with enormous lasting qualities. Late flowering.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

## Cottage Tulips

#### (May-flowering)

Cottage Tulips are so named because they have mostly been found in old Cottage Gardens of Great Britain and France, where they have been growing for a great number of years. They are distinct in habit, embrace many beautiful colours and are excellent for borders, where they should be freely planted in large clumps or masses. They may also be naturalized in grass, Wild Gardens, etc. and present a gorgeous display during the month of May.

#### COLLECTIONS OF COTTAGE TULIPS

As in all collections of Bulbs offered in this catalogue, our collections of Cottage Tulips are made up very carefully, comprise a full range of colours and varieties of good merit only. Top-Size bulbs.

25 I	Bulbs,	, 5	each	of	5	choice	named v	varieties	, our	selection	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		\$ 3.0	0
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Cottage Tulips Rainbow Mixture. Like all our other mixtures, this mixture is also made up from named varieties and embraces a wonderful assortment of various colours. This mixture is very valuable for large plantings, or for naturalizing in Wild Gardens, Woodlands, among Shrubberies, for massing in borders and for cutting.

\$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100; \$ 20.00 per 250

Advance (24), very distinct blazing orange scarlet overlaid with a dusky shade; it is a fine grower of good height and habit and produces gigantic blooms, one of the most beautiful of the Cottage Tulips, early flowering. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Artist, see viridiflora Artist, on page 39.

**Bacchanalia** (26), a most beautiful self coloured amaranth-red, white base with lavender blue halo, very outstanding on account of its splendid form and strong habit. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

BELLE JAUNE (28), one of the finest of dark yellow Tulips, the oval-shaped flowers are of perfect form and are carried on strong erect stems, very effective in groups in the border or among Evergreens.

**\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

**BEVERLEY** (22), a very pleasing and distinct shade of orange-flame, really one of the loveliest orange coloured Tulips in cultivation, also very good for cutting. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

Bond Street (26), deep buttercup-yellow, deeply flushed orange, a very attractive colour combination seldom seen in Tulips, a most charming variety for the border. \$ 1.75 per doz.; 12.00 per 100

**Buff Picture** (28), A.M. Haarlem 1951, a lovely Tulip with long-shaped flowers of fine form and good texture, the unusual buff-orange colour is unique and distinct from any other in this section.

**\$ 1.75** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

Carrara\* (24), pure white with yellow anthers, one of the finest of all white Tulips, the cup-shaped flowers are of large size and substance and last unusually long in good condition, may be forced very gently, highly recommended. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

**Dido** (28), rich salmon-orange slightly shaded cherry-red, inside orange with yellow base margined blackish, the immense large flowers are of perfect form. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

**Dreaming Maid** (26), lovely deep lilac-mauve colour merging into a silvery-white at margin of petals and making it a beautiful symphony of colours, a very elegant flower on a strong stem, fine cut-flower. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Elsie Eloff (30), A.M. Haarlem 1956, a tall growing variety with long oval-shaped flowers of a soft buttercup-yellow colour, the beautiful flowers are carried on upright stiff stems, a very impressive Tulip for the garden (see illustration page 20). \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

Fireflame (Vlammenspel) (23), yellow feathered and flamed with orange and red. Another sport of the Inglescombe Yellow, very lovely to those who can appreciate ancient coloured Tulips. Long lasting. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

General de la Rey (28), A.M. Haarlem 1944, a lovely colour combination of old rose overlaid with pale lavender, inside pinkish old-rose with faint shades of orange. The flowers are large and have great lasting qualities. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100



G. W. Leak

Georges Duhamel (16), creamy-white flushed pink edged rosy-red, large wellshaped flower of elegant habit and very pleasing colour combination, late flowering, long lasting and ideal for cutting.

**\$ 1.75** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

Golden Harvest, see under Darwin Tulips page 4.

Golden Nugget (20), deep golden yellow with a flush of sparkling red on outside of petals, black at base, a most interesting coloured introduction of great durability and strong habit, truly a fine and showy garden variety.

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

Gold Rush (30), a beautiful deep yellow sport of Mrs. John T. Scheepers, with enormous long shaped flowers on strong stems, very vigorous grower and of unusual great substance.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**GOOD GRACIOUS** (25), brilliant salmonpink with fairly large flowers of unquestionable beauty and a most pleasing and effective garden variety, rather late flowering. One of the loveliest Tulips in cultivation (see illustration page 20).

**\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Grace (16), pure white, flushed red beautiful shaped flower on a slender and fairly stiff stem; most elegant cut-flower. Late flowering. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Greenland, see viridiflora Greenland on page 39.

**G. W. Leak** (28), F.C.C. Haarlem, brilliant geranium-scarlet with white base, particularly effective when planted in groups against Evergreens, undoubtedly the best red Cottage Tulip. A magnificent flower of refined appearance. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

Halcro (28), A.M. Haarlem 1949, enormous oval-shaped yet elegantly formed flower of deep straw-berry-red, yellow base edged green, carried on a tall sturdy stem. A real giant and undoubtedly a choice Tulip for the garden. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

**HENRY FORD** (20), deep pink changing to cherry-red on a white base, a perfect formed long shaped flower of wonderful constitution and durability, very fine garden Tulip.

**\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Inga Hume (24), red with broad distinctly lined yellow edge, inside deep yellow somewhat suffused red and large black centre, an interesting introduction of great durability, very unusual coloured Tulip.
 \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100

Inglescombe Yellow (23), very often called the 'Yellow Darwin Tulip', the flowers are glossy canary-yellow and of a wonderful perfect form carried on strong stems. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

Ivory Gem (26), A.M. Haarlem 1943, a most distinct flower of soft ivory-white changing to almost white when flower ages, the cup-shaped flowers are of large size and substance and last unusual long in good condition (see illustration page 20). \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Ivory Glory (24), A.M. R.H.S. 1954, a large creamy-white egg-shaped flower changing to snow-white when fully developed, a glorious Tulip for the garden, flower-petals are of heavy texture and keep in adverse weather conditions (see illustration page 14). \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

**Lemon Queen (Mothers Day)** (24), a lovely pale self yellow, anthers yellow with slightly deeper yellow base, magnificent variety producing large flowers of erect habit.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Magic Carpet (22), creamy-white, tinged salmon and yellow, a well-shaped flower of beautiful texture and delicate colouring borne on a strong sturdy stem, a distinct variety in every way.

\$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

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Marjorie Bowen (26), a lovely shade of buff and salmon which passes into deep pink with salmon sheen as the flower ages, this extraordinary Tulip enjoys great popularity on account of its unusual charming colouring, gracefully shaped flowers (see illustration page 20). \$1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Marshal Haig (28), F.C.C. Haarlem, one of the loveliest scarlet Hybrid Tulips, the brilliant-scarlet flowers are large and are held on tall strong stems, strongly recommended for massive beddings or for planting in groups in the border among Evergreens etc. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

Maureen (26), F.C.C. Haarlem 1956, a superb pure white Tulip of uncommon beauty, producing a large egg-shaped flower of stately habit unsurpassed in form and quality and outstanding in every way.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Mazeppa (29), lovely geranium-scarlet with a large white base, flowers are of perfect form and are held on very tall erect stems, a most desirable Tulip for planting in groups in the border among Evergreens or in beds. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Mirella (24), deep salmon, edged pale salmon, a very distinct coloured sport of the well-known Cottage T. Advance with all its good characteristics. A real marvel for the border, flowering late April.

60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Mount Shasta (26), F.C.C. Haarlem 1956, a beautiful long shaped flower of marble-white, a distinct variety of faultless form and wonderful lasting qualities, giving a rich account of itself wherever planted. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Mrs. F. E. Dixon (20), soft creamy-yellow with a faint of rosy-red producing a beautiful egg-shaped flower on a strong stem, rather late. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS (34), pure yellow, truly a giant, enormous long oval-shaped blooms on strong erect stems, undoubtedly the largest and best of all pale yellow coloured Tulips, very highly recommended. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Mrs. Moon (fulgens maxima lutea) (28), a very charming Tulip with very large, clear canary yellow flowers of great merit; the long flowers are refined having pointed petals reflexing at the tips, highly recommended. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Northern Queen (Queen of the North) (26), pink and white, very similar to that of the popular Pink Beauty Tulips but grows much taller, previously classified under Triumph Tulips, a very sturdy

and vigorous grower, strongly recommended for bedding purposes.

**\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

**Orange Ophelia** A.M. Haarlem (26), truly a perfectly lovely and charming flower of a pleasing glowing orange shade, a Tulip of delicate colouring and fine texture, long lasting.

**\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

Palestrina (20), a rare shade of salmon-pink tinged old rose, a new introduction of amazing beauty on account of the delicate colours combined in this lovely variety, flowers are large and elegantly shaped, long lasting and outstanding.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Pandion (28), F.C.C. Haarlem 1954, attractive and distinct shade of deep purplemauve with white edged petals, good sized flower carried on a strong straight stem, outstanding as a bedder, very useful for groups in the border, rather early flowering. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Princess Margaret Rose (Kleurenpracht) (23), yellow with a very conspicuous edge of bright scarlet, a magnificent sport of Inglescombe Yellow, strong grower. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

**Queen of Spain** (25), charming pale creamy-yellow delicately flushed with pink, a lovely variety with large flowers, very beautiful and of great substance.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100



**Ivory Glory** 

**Renown** (32), A.M. Haarlem 1951, beautiful light carmine-red edged paler at base and borne on a tall strong stem, one of the largest varieties in cultivation and a flower of noble proportions.

\$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100

- Rosabella (26), bright rose almost watermelon pink shading to a pastel pink at edge of the pointed petals and ivory-white at the base, a very lovely Tulip with a predominant colour which reminds one of a magnolia blossom but is even of greater beauty and a more graceful flower. Very vigorous grower, highly recommended. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- ROSY WINGS (24,) A.M. Haarlem 1947, salmon-pink gradually changing to a delicate yet lively pink, flowers are extremely long and open out to great size, very colourful and outstanding, attractive alike when cut or in the garden, truly one of the finest Cottage Tulips. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Scaramouche (27), a remarkable colour combination of dark brownish-bronze with a faint undertone of yellow and a clear narrow yellow edge at petals, an interesting sport of the well-known Golden Harvest Tulip with all its good characteristics, very unusual in colour.

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

Smiling Queen, see under Darwin Tulips page 6.

- Yellow Emperor (25), deep golden yellow, large oval-shaped flower of large size held on a tall erect stem, very beautiful and good grower, recommended. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100
- **Zina** (28), F.C.C. Haarlem 1942, deep golden yellow of a pleasant tone, a perfect flower of great substance, fine quality and splendid form on a strong and sturdy stem. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- **Zomerschoon** (18), A.M. R.H.S., a beautiful blending of salmon-rose and tints of primrose and ivory-white, the pointed slightly recurved flowers are of good size, an ancient and very rare Tulip considered to be the oldest variety in cultivation, the first known record of it was in 1620. It is distinct, extremely decorative and a good grower. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

## Multi-flowering Tulips

(Branch flowering)

These interesting Tulips produce from 3 to 6 flowers sometimes more flowers on one main stem from one bulb. They are all May-flowering and are sure to create a lot of excitement in the garden, and they may be used with equal success in flower beds or in groups in the border.

- Claudette (26), a most remarkably coloured pure white Tulip beautifully edged rosy-red, producing four or more good-sized flowers on a strong branching stem. 50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Emir (24), A.M. Haarlem 1953, a brilliant coloured new introduction of vivid Oriental-red, a hybrid of Tulipa Tubergeniana with a very branching character and three or more large oval-shaped flowers on one stem; apart from its lovely colour, it displays an effect of unusual charm in the garden. \$2.15 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100
- Georgette (26), this novelty of a fine clear yellow, beautifully edged red, produces a tall straight stem with 4 or more good-sized flowers on a branching stem. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Lisette (24), attractive and distinct shade of soft yellow edged red, a flower of particularly pleasing colour, a very free-flowering novelty of great beauty. \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- Mons. S. Mottet (21), colour white, flushed cream, outside passing off soft rose, a distinct branching Tulip, a beautiful variety, bearing several flowers on a stem. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- Rainbow (27), a very colourful Tulip, opening pale pink, changing completely to a lovely cerise, white base with a faint of blue marking, four or more well-shaped flowers on a strong branching stem.

  \$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 18.00 per 100
- Rose Mist (28), opening pure white with streaks of rose-pink, changing into bright pink when flower ages, bearing many flowers on a tall branching stem. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Wallflower (27), a most favourite garden variety of brilliant mahogany-red clear yellow at base with 5 or more well-formed flowers on a strong stem, very distinct. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

## Lily-Flowering Tulips

(May-flowering)

Unsurpassed for elegance and charm, the varieties of this section are most graceful and highly distinct. Beautifully reflexed and pointed petals form flowers of fascinating beauty which are borne on tall wiry stems, rendering them extremely useful for cutting and table decoration. Lily-flowering Tulips are a handsome contribution to the garden and give their refined display in May. Plant in groups of twelve in order to obtain the best effect.

#### COLLECTIONS OF LILY-FLOWERING TULIPS

These collections are made up from reliable varieties of merit and in a wide range of colours. Extremely suitable for the garden and table decoration.

25	Bulbs	, in 5	named	varieties,	our	selection	٠								٠	•		٠	\$	3.00	
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100	"	,, 5	99	27	,,	,,						٠		• •			٠	٠	\$ 1	0.00	

Choice mixture of Lily-flowering Tulips in a wide range of colours. This mixture will give a splendid effect when planted in groups. Choice Tulips for dinner-table and vase decoration; much recommended. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Aladdin (22), a very attractive glowing scarlet-red novelty with a pronounced yellow band on edge of the beautiful reflexing petals, upright and of strong habit. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

ARKADIA (24), the deep golden yellow flower is of a most artistic form and habit with slightly reflexing petals, an exceedingly beautiful Lily-flowering Tulip. Very charming and one of the most beautiful of this class. \$1.60 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100

**ASTOR** (25), A.M. Haarlem, bronze tinged amber-pink, a most pleasing and distinct variety. The flowers which have much substance are carried on elegant yet strong

stems, lasts a long time.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Captain Fryatt (24), distinct dark rubyviolet with violet-blue base, large graceful flowers, an excellent addition to the Lilyflowering group on account of the colour. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

CHINA PINK\* (22), pure satin-pink throughout, white base, a delightful new Tulip with slightly reflexing petals and graceful stems, a most elegant variety of serene loveliness.

\$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Columbus (Gala Beauty) (18), a rich goldenyellow flower feathered and splashed with red, pointed and reflexed petals, a lovely Tulip now becoming very scarce.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

**Dyanito** (22), F.C.C. Haarlem 1951, brilliant red not to compare with others of this colour, one of the choicest red varieties of recent introduction producing a flower of elegant beauty (see illustration page 29).

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Ellen Willmott (22), a pleasing colour of soft primrose-yellow, long shaped flowers with slightly reflexing petals carried on slender but stiff stems, deliciously fragrant, a splendid Tulip for the garden.

\$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100



Yellow Marvel

- Fire Lily (20), glowing scarlet-red, white at base, the well-formed flowers with elegantly reflexing petals are borne on a wiry but strong stem, extremely bright Tulip for the garden.
  - \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Golden Duchess (23), F.C.C. Haarlem, deep golden yellow, an exquisite variety with large long pointed **\$ 2.15** per doz.; **\$ 15.00** per 100 flowers of great refinement, one of the best of this group.
- Golden Fiction (22), a most charming clear yellow new introduction which attracted considerable attention at our recent exhibit at the Chelsea Flower Show, the large elegant reflexing flowers are \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100 long and outstanding in habit and quality.
- La Merveille (20), orange-scarlet flushed old rose at margin, inside orange-scarlet with yellow centre, \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100 sweet-scented, long flower of elegant shape.
- Leica (24), A.M. R.H.S. 1955, very large creamy-white flowers with long elegantly reflexing petals, a \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100 magnificent and strong novelty of lovely form and good habit.
- Manuella (18), a very beautiful tone of glowing red, the well-formed flower with elegantly reflexed petals is borne on a wiry but strong stem, extremely fine and bright coloured garden Tulip.
  - \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Marcellina (24), rich salmon-pink overlaid with a slight rosy sheen, a most unusual variety on account \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100 of its beautifully formed reflexing flowers.
- MARIËTTE\* (26), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, delicate salmon pink, growing colossal well-shaped flowers of a beautiful texture, it is truly a noble Tulip on account of its bearing, size and true Lily-flowering \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100 type as well as its glorious colour, outstanding.
- Maytime (20), lovely purplish-violet broadly edged white, a beautiful artistically formed flower with heavily reflexing petals and elegantly carried on a slender but stiff stem, a delightful introduction. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Painted Lily (24), yellow with a pronounced red band at the edge, a most elegant variety for the border **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100 very sweet as a cutflower, a very graceful novelty.
- Philemon (22), F.C.C. Haarlem, a delightful creamy-white Tulip and very graceful, the flowers are large and the long pointed petals widely and borne on a gracefully drooping stem. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Picotee (Maiden's Blush) (22), white, prettily feathered rose, which gradually flushes over the flower as it ages; gracefully formed flowers and valuable for cutting. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Poët (20), a very attractive and charming coloured violet introduction of a most elegant shape with pointed petals slightly reflexing, will be greatly appreciated for decorative purposes. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Queen of Sheba (20), deep scarlet-brown broadly margined yellow, long shaped flower with slightly reflexed petals on a slender but fairly stiff stem. Undoubtedly one of the most outstanding in this \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 section.
- Red Shine (24), a glowing deep red variety, an introduction of recent date of unsurpassed beauty, producing a most elegant flower on a wiry but strong stem. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Stanislaus (18), a delightful orange flower with a touch of scarlet, reflexed and pointed petals, a \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100 magnificent and distinct Tulip of lovely form and good habit.
- West Point (20), very attractive good yellow flower of a most elegant form, long shaped pointed flower \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 with graceful, much reflexing petals.
- White Duchess (25), large pure white Tulip of great beauty, flowers are carried on strong stems, a **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100 magnificent introduction.
- WHITE TRIUMPHATOR (30), pure white longish shaped flowers with beautiful reflexing petals borne on a lofty stem, this noble Tulip attracted much attention at the Flora Exhibition in spring 1953, it is truly a triumphant addition to this section of graceful Tulips (see illustration page 29). **\$ 1.35** per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100
- Yellow Marvel (24), beautiful dark yellow flower with much reflexed petals, flowers are large and of most artistic form and are held on straight stems, which make it a great favourite of every dis-\$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100 criminating gardener (see illustration page 16).

## Triumph Tulips

(Mid-Season)

A race of Tulips with most outstanding characteristics and merits. They are exceedingly valuable for the flower garden, in borders etc. on account of their strong tall stems and vigorous habit. Most pleasing shades of the self-colours, bi-colours, edges, flushes, stripes and margines, which will not be found in other types of Tulips and this stresses the beauty of this section. Triumph Tulips flower immediately after the Mendel Tulips and are a valuable addition to obtain a continuous display of Tulips. The substance and the size of the flowers are superior and some varieties will force steadily.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF TRIUMPH TULIPS**

We can strongly recommend our customers to try these collections which will give entire satisfaction. All furnish excellent material for beds, being particularly effective in masses of several colours.

25	Bulbs,	, 5	each	of	5	named	varieties,	our	selection														\$ 3.00
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100	"	20	,,,	99	5	99	"	,,	"	•	۰	٠	٠	•	•	٠	٠	٠	•	•	٠	٠	\$ 10.00
250	99	25	,,	,,	10	99	,,	,,	,,	•	٠	•	٠		٠	۰	٠				•	٠	\$ 22.00

Choice Mixed Triumph Tulips. We offer a very fine mixture, especially made up from named varieties, including many fascinating shades, far superior to what is usually sold as mixture.

**\$ 1.35** per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100

**ADORNO** (24), a pleasing shade of salmon-orange, slightly edged bronzy-yellow, long shaped somewhat pointed flower of splendid substance, borne on a strong stem, excellent for February forcing, and as a garden variety. **\$ 1.35** per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100

Aureola (26), F.C.C. Haarlem 1953, scarlet-red, broadly margined yellow, large perfectly formed flower of heavy texture and substance. A very beautiful variety for bedding (see illustration page 29). **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

**Bandoeng** (18), dark mahogany-red, flushed orange, faintly edged yellow, the beautiful large flowers are held on sturdy erect stems. Can be forced from January 15th. **\$ 1.35** per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100

**Bingham** (20), A.M. Haarlem 1950, intense deep golden-yellow globular flower on a strong stem with a wonderful constitution which keeps its form for a long time, a truly noble Tulip with all the advantages of a perfect garden plant. **\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.50** per 100

Blazing Fire (22), a bright deep red Tulip of a blazing colour, large beautiful shaped flower well carried on a strong stem, may be effectively used for all garden purposes. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Blizzard (20), A.M. Haarlem, quite the largest pure white Tulip in this section very lovely shaped cup, fine plant for bedding purposes, destined to become a leading variety. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 Bruno Walter (18), deep brownish-orange, outside faintly flushed purple, a distinct shade in the

Triumph class, very fine flowers. Can be forced from January 15th. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 Cassini\* (15), the dark red flower is of perfect habit and well posed on a strong stem, a glorious Tulip

**\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100 of splendid substance and a very beautiful bedding Tulip. Crater\* (18), very dark red, much resembling the well-known Couleur Cardinal variety, large flowers

recommended for forcing. **\$ 1.35** per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100

Denbola\* (19), pretty ruby-red broadly edged creamy-white, large flower of good form and substance, recommended for bedding and of unusual lasting qualities. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Diorama (18), F.A. Haarlem 1959, a beautiful formed Tulip of deep red flushed scarlet with large rounded flowers of splendid substance, borne on very strong stems, a warm toned and attractive Tulip for the border and good forcer. **\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

ELMUS (28), a pleasing shade of warm cherry-red, deeply edged pure white, really a happy combination of colours, large pure white base, a grand Tulip and a tall sturdy grower, fine for the garden, may be forced from end of January. **\$ 1.20** per doz.; **\$ 8.50** per 100

Fidelio (18), T.G. Award Haarlem 1956, a most attractive coloured soft bronzy-yellow overlaid with a warm flush of orange, a very outstanding long shaped Tulip of strong constitution and valuable garden variety. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Garden Party (16), A.M. Haarlem, a beautiful introduction of pure white with glowing carminepink edging more like a much improved Pink Beauty, white at base and has no equal for bedding purposes. A strong flower of great substance and long lasting qualities, highly recommended.

**\$ 2.30** per doz.; **\$ 16.00** per 100 Golden Eddy (22), soft reddish-carmine with a broad margin of golden yellow at edge of petals, a very substantial Tulip of lasting qualities on a strong stem, a variety adaptable for garden use and late forcing. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Johanna (22), deep salmon-pink, possibly the most pleasing shade seen in any Tulip, flowers are refined of good size and substance and are carried on strong stems, very fine. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Korneforos\* (24), a beautiful cerise-red flower with a white base, very strong grower, good forcer and one of the best in this section. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100



New Darwin Hybrid Tulip Holland's Glory \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.50 per 100 See page 7



New Darwin Hybrid Tulip Dover \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100 See page 7



Breeder Tulip Moroccan Beauty \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100 See page 11



Mendel Tulip Her Grace \$1.40 per doz.; \$9.75 per 100 See page 22



Cottage Tulip Ivory Gem \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 See page 13



Cottage Tulip Marjorie Bowen \$1.35 per doz.; \$9.50 per 100 See page 14



Cottage Tulip Good Gracious \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 See page 13



Cottage Tulip Elsie Eloff \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100 See page 12

Merry Widow (Lustige Witwe)\* (25), A.M. Haarlem 1943, beautiful glowing red with a pronounced band of pure white at margin, looking very fresh and a variety of great charm and graceful habit, can be forced from January 15th.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Nova (22), lilac-rose with silvery sheen and salmon-rose to vermilion on outer petals, a very handsome and distinct bold flower of unusual good substance.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Old Dutch (18), bright orange-red with a broad ribbon edge of a golden yellow colour, a flower of great beauty and substance with pointed petals, very decorative bedding \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Ornament (16), a beautifully formed eggshaped flower of uniform deep golden yellow borne on a strong erect stem, excellent border variety, may be forced in bloom from February onwards.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Paris (20), flaming orange-red merging with yellow at edge of petals, a pretty medium sized flower, very charming and effective, may be forced in second half of February. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100



Rose Beauty

Pax\* (18), pure white flower of lovely shape and solid texture, gracefully carried on a straight stem, particularly attractive when forced and a durable garden variety. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Princess Beatrix (20), vivid scarlet, flushed orange and delicately edged yellow, a perfectly formed flower of good substance, can be forced from January 15th, beautiful.

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Purple Star (24), distinct colour of deep bluish-purple, large beautifully shaped flower of strong constitution, an excellent garden plant for all purposes, does well with yellow flowering carpeting \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 plants.

Red Giant (24), very fine one toned luminous scarlet throughout, flowers are large well-formed and carried on strong stiff stems, admirable alike for the garden or pot-culture for late forcing, a great \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 favourite of Florists.

RED MATADOR (20), F.C.C. Haarlem 1947, a vivid orange-red colour with a faint of crimson-red on outside of petals, a very handsome large flower of enormous substance, very fine garden plant.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Roland (22), a superb variety of a pleasing shade of shiny cherry-red with a broad white band at edge of petals producing an immense flower of fine form on a strong sturdy stem, very beautiful for the \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 garden and for forcing in February.

Rose Beauty (17), deep pink changing to cherry-red, pure white base, a very beautiful flower of \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 good size.

Sulphur Glory\* (26), A.M. Haarlem 1954, beautiful one-toned chrome-yellow and perfect in outline, poised on a strong stem and yet remarkable graceful, a most pleasing and effective garden flower, a \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 delightful Triumph of fine form and character.

SUNMAID\* (20), one of the newer finest uniform golden-yellow varieties of this section with very large \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 oval-shaped flowers, strongly recommended for the garden.

Telescopium (20), a very elegantly shaped flower of a reddish-violet of large size and great beauty, \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100 the blooms are borne on strong stems.

Ursa minor (20), a fine deep yellow flower of good form, one of the best of this class of Tulips, highly \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100 recommended.

Virtuoso (18), a lovely colour of old-rose overlaid with a shade of soft lilac, a new introduction of amazing beauty, flowers are large and most elegantly shaped, excellent as a garden variety and cut-\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

White Superior (22), a lovely pure white Tulip of splendid form and strong habit, excellent bedding \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 variety and can be forced from February onwards.

## Mendel Tulips

(Mid-Season)

This type owes its particular value to the fact that it has contracted the glorious colours and the astounding value for the garden of the Darwin Tulips and the earliness of Duc van Tholl. They are of excellent habit and beauty and flower in the garden 10 to 14 days earlier than Darwins, thus bridging the interval between Single Early and Triumph Tulips. Most varieties can be forced early quite easily. Forcing: After the rooting period they may be exposed at once to the full light, contrary to all other Tulips which should be started in the dark. If for some reason the height is not obtained and bulbs are found to be lazy, they should be kept in the dark for a few days to encourage the sprouts to lengthen.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF MENDEL TULIPS**

These collections of Mendel Tulips are made up of such varieties that are particularly suitable for pot and bowl culture for flowering in the later part of January. They are, of course, also suitable for planting outdoors.

25	Bulbs,	5	each	of	5	named	varieties,	our	selection								\$ 3.00
50	>>	10	,,	22	5	22	77	•••	••								\$ 5.50
100	99	20	99	,,	5	,,	,,	,,	"								\$ 9.60

Choice Mixture of Mendel Tulips. This mixture is made up from named varieties and has a wide range of colours, excellent for mid-season effect. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Apricot Beauty (14), a most pleasing pastel coloured variety of soft salmon-rose, overlaid with a touch of light apricot-rose, a very unusual and outstanding Tulip for the garden and much appreciated \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Athleet (17), A.M. Haarlem 1951, one of the best pure white Mendel Tulips for early forcing to flower from mid-January onwards, of strong constitution and good height. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Beauty of Volendam (16), a remarkable coloured sport of White Sail feathered and flamed purplishred on a white ground, an unusual but very attractive colour combination and particularly easy forcer. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Emmy Peeck (20), deep lilac-rose, a handsome flower with splendid firmness of petal and stem; will make an interesting display when massed in beds or borders, does well if yellow carpeting plants are used. Can be forced from January 15th. **\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

HER GRACE (19), a lovely white, widely edged deep pink, this excellent Tulip is well adapted for early forcing and a favourite for its strong texture. A strong grower with very long, sturdy stem. Can be forced from January 10th (see illustration page 19). **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Krelage's Triumph (17), deep geranium red with black base, large well-formed flowers are carried on good stems, one of the best for early forcing and fine for the garden. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

Mimosa (18), a beautiful shade of sungold, the only yellow in this section, the smooth rounded flowers are neatly held on slender stems; exceptionally good for forcing as well as bedding.

**\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Mirjoran (21), a very remarkable introduction, carmine-red with a striking broad primrose yellow margin, a pleasing combination of colours and will be greatly admired if planted in the border.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

ORANGE WONDER (TULIP OF ALBANY) (20), distinct deep warm orange-red throughout with slightly waved petals, this is undoubtedly one of the best Tulips because of its outstanding beauty, its sturdy habit and great lasting qualities, very strongly recommended for outdoor culture as well as for late forcing. **\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

Pink Gem (16), pure white edged soft pink, a forcing Tulip of delicate distinction and most charming in tone. They can be forced from December 15th. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

Piquante (17), large flower of a particular fine shade of carmine-red with a broad white band, the large flowers are very unusual but most distinct, can be forced from December 15th.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Topscore (18), a beautiful shaped flower of striking bright-red and fine substance, excellent for bowl culture, lasting a long time in good condition, a most welcome addition for indoor forcing. Can be forced from January 15th. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Van der Eerden (18), a particularly bright shade of glowing Lincoln-red, a very attractive Tulip of elegant shape, fine for forcing after January 15th. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

White Sail (16), when opening it is creamy-white passing quickly to pure white, a medium sized flower. Recommended for forcing from December 15th. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

## Parrot Tulips

#### (May-flowering)

These artistically shaped flowers with their heavily laciniated petals have no rivals for exquisite effect. The gorgeous flowers are large and strikingly beautiful, very effective and picturesque in the garden for their rich brilliancy and fine for table decoration and in vases. A mixed bunch of Parrot Tulips creates a fascinating and artistic effect and lasts well in water. All the Parrot Tulips are sports of Tulips from various sections and with the exception of their laciniated segments have more or less the same qualities as their originators.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF NEW PARROT TULIPS**

The varieties of these collections are outstanding in beauty and fascination, in full colour harmony and suitable for garden and cutting purposes.

25	Bulbs,	5	each	of	5	named	varieties,	our	selection		۰					٠			۰	۰		\$ 3	.00
50	••	10	••	••	5	11	,,	22	,,						٠				٠			\$ 5	5.50
100	••	20	**		5	12	22	,,	,,				٠		٠	٠	٠		٠	٠	•	\$ 9	7.75
250	••	50		••	5	**	,,	,,	,,			٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	•		\$ 22	00

Choice Mixture of Parrot Tulips, producing a most gorgeous and artistic feature and a delightful composition of unusual charm and fascinating beauty. \$1.35 per doz.; \$9.50 per 100

Black Parrot (27), A.M. Haarlem, large glossy maroon-black flowers held on strong erect stems, fascinating variety of unusual colour and charm, sport of Philippe de Commines.

**\$ 1.30** per doz.; **\$ 9.00** per 100

**BLUE PARROT** (24), A.M. Haarlem, bluish-heliotrope, flushed steel blue, very large flowers borne on strong erect stems, an outstanding variety of unusual beauty and most excellent for bedding in borders, a gorgeous display can be had when planted with yellow flowered carpeting plants, a fine sport of Darwin Blue Amiable, when forced it is remarkable for size and beauty.

\$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

- Caprice (24), a beautiful violet-rose coloured sport of Blue Parrot with all its good characteristics, a welcome addition in this class for its unusual fine colour. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100
- Discovery (26), F.C.C. Haarlem, delicate violet-pink, edged silvery white, a very elegant and attractive variety and most excellent for bedding and border planting, a splendid sport of Darwin Princess Elizabeth. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Doorman\* (20), an introduction of recent years, cherry-red with an underground of creamy-yellow with yellow edging on petals, a remarkable distinct flower of gigantic size and superb substance, carried on a strong erect stem. Good forcer, sport of Triumph Alberio. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100
- **DOUBLE FANTASY** (20), a very fine double sport of the world-famous Parrot Tulip Fantasy, this sport is of the same enchanting shade, soft salmon-rose inner colour a bright rosy-pink, quite distinct with green outer petals, limited stock. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Fantasy (22), F.C.C. Haarlem, soft rose with faint stripes and featherings of apple-green on outer petals, a sport of Darwin Clara Butt, flowers expand to an enormous size and attract much attention, very free flowering and is excellent for planting in beds (see illustration page 30).

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

Faraday (22), a white sport of the well-known Fantasy with a tinge of soft appleblossom pink and green featherings, very remarkable and outstanding in colour, producing a flower of large size.

\$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

- Fire Bird (22), A.M. Haarlem, a splendid vermilion-scarlet sport of Fantasy, the elegant flowers on strong stems make this variety ideal for bedding and cutting. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Gadelan (20), F.C.C. Haarlem, a blending of blue and violet with emerald green blotches and white edge, interior bright violet with white base, this fascinating variety commands universal admiration and is really outstanding for size, erectness and beauty. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- **Kathleen Ferrier** (26), deep apple-blossom-rose with a soft shade of mauve on outer petals, a magnificent and graceful flower of immense size borne on a strong stem. One of the outstanding varieties among the Parrot Tulips. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

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Orange Favourite (22), uniform orange-scarlet tinged old rose with faint featherings of apple-green on outer petals with yellow base, a magnificent Parrot excellent for cut-flower material and unsurpassed for garden decoration, very sweet-scenting. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

**ORANGE PARROT** (24), F.C.C. Haarlem 1955, a rich mahogany orange with faint markings of old gold, a remarkable flower of colossal size and vigorous habit, one of the finest Parrots, a late flowering variety and a sport of the fragrant Breeder Tulip Prince of Orange.

**\$ 1.75** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

- Parrot Wonder (28), bright cerise-red throughout, an enormous Tulip standing face up on a sturdy stem, a sensational flower and the largest in this section. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- **Paulus Potter** (25), A.M. Haarlem 1954, glossy purple, interior purple-violet, each petal is very grace-fully laciniated and well proportioned, a sensational new variety of remarkable beauty.

**\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

- Queen of Parrots (26), F.C.C. Haarlem 1955, a beautiful silvery rose with pale margin, petals are fantastically laciniated, yet graceful and well proportioned, another sensational new Parrot Tulip of amazing beauty, the entire flower opens flat to a size that staggers anyone's imagination, one of the marvels of the Parrot section, a noble flower raised in our Nurseries. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- **RED PARROT** (28), in our opinion this is the most beautiful deep scarlet Parrot Tulip for size and colour, bearing large flowers on erect stems with both inner and outer petals heavily laciniated and opening to enormous size when fully developed, making it a very fine garden plant.

**\$ 1.80** per doz.; **\$ 12.50** per 100

**Sunshine** (18), a bright golden yellow and is outstanding on account of its deep colour, a sport of the old Cottage Tulip Bouton d'Or, an exquisite flower (see illustration page 30).

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

- Texas Gold (16), a variety of great value, it is a Parrot sport of Inglescombe Yellow, flowers are of the same golden yellow colour, but are heavily laciniated and open to an enormous width, very beautiful Parrot Tulip. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- Thérèse, discarded in favour of Red Parrot.
- Van Dijck (22), one of the finest in pure solid pink shades, a striking variety of great substance, very outstanding and one of the most beautiful of Parrots. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Violet Queen (Opal Queen sport) (24), a pleasing shade of lavender blue with a clear white base, producing a wonderful effect, a novelty of great beauty, marvellous flowers with large petals like Ostrich feathers of strong habit and carriage, recommended. \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- White Parrot (20), pure white throughout with large feathering petals, an enormous flower of great substance and really outstanding in size and character. 60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.

## Fringed Tulips

We have listed the undermentioned varieties of Fringed Tulips in a separate section as they are differently laciniated than Parrot Tulips. They are most uncommon and have excellent qualities for decorative purposes.

Fringed Beauty\* (12), A.M. Haarlem vivid red with yellow band and nicely fringed at edge of petals, a lovely sport of the well-known double early Tulip Titian, early flowering. Good for forcing.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

- Gemma\* (12), a white flower which is beautifully imbricated and fringed with faint pink, flowers are held on graceful and solid stems, excellent for decorative purposes, a beautiful sport of the Single Early Tulip La Reine, can be forced after January 1st. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- **Peach Blossom** (14), a very beautiful fringed sport of Early Double Tulip Peach Blossom, flowers are deep pink, in style very similar to Rosy Cloud and open up to an enormous size, very outstanding. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- **Picture** (28), a fine introduction and a sport of the well-known soft rose Darwin Tulip Princess Elizabeth, somewhat difficult to describe as the petal edges are slightly rolled inwards which gives it a fascinating shape not seen in any other Tulip. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Rosy Cloud (14), double delicate rose flushed white and flowers open to a colossal size, a fascinating sport of the Early Double Tulip Murillo. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Sundew (26), bright cerise-red colour, a very fascinating Tulip with laciniated inner petals, should not be missed by Tulip-lovers, the flowers are not of a Parrot shape. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

## Late Double Tulips

(May-flowering)

This section of May-flowering Tulips represents almost an entirely new group. Much time has been devoted to the production of new colours and the result has been the creation of very beautiful varieties which are delightful for bedding or planting in groups in the border or among Evergreens etc. They are of sturdy habit with strong stems to hold erect indescribably beautiful flowers. For the most outstanding effects plant several groups in your garden. They do not object to a little shade.

#### COLLECTIONS OF LATE DOUBLE TULIPS

We give special attention to the selection of beautiful collections of Double Tulips of good proven Garden varieties.

25	Bulbs,	5	each	of	5	choice	named	varieties,	our	selection	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•		\$ 3.0	0
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- De Jager's Majestic Late Double Tulips Mixed. A wonderful blend of many harmonious colours especially prepared to provide a bold and spectacular display in the garden. We also recommend our customers to grow some of these Tulips for cutting. When placed in a vase or bowl they will create a \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100 most fascinating picture.
- Amusement (20), dark red broadly edged yellow, a new introduction of unusual graceful habit and \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100 perfection of form carried on a strong stem, a fine variety.
- Clara Carder (18), A.M. Haarlem, a distinct and very beautiful variety of clear pink with light lilacpurple inside, white base. An outstanding Tulip in this section with full double flowers and of great **\$1.80** per doz.; **\$12.50** per 100 substance. A showy variety in the border.
- Coxa (22), a very handsome flower, carmine shaded vermilion daintily tipped white, a popular variety \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100 of great beauty producing large full double flowers.
- Engelenburcht (20), A.M. Haarlem 1950, very attractive white flower admired for its purity in colour and splendid form borne on a rigid tall stem, will give much satisfaction.
  - \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- EROS (22), A.M. Haarlem, clear old rose colour, very large flower and one of the best doubles under cultivation which will certainly command attention when flowering in the garden.
  - \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- For Ever (Fire Emperor) (20), a fine introduction of a beautiful bright red colour and excellent full double form well held on a strong upright stem, a magnificent Tulip for bedding; very showy if planted in groups in the border, may produce more than one flower. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- GERBRAND KIEFT (22), magnificent blooms of carmine-red, petals ribbon edged silvery white, apart from its beautiful colour, it produces flowers of lasting quality (see illustration page 26).
  - \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- Golden Lion (19), a deep golden yellow colour throughout, full double Tulip, a very large size bloom of firm texture, borne erect on a strong stem; produces a rich effect if planted in patches in the border \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 amongst shrubs.
- Gold Medal (18), a deep golden-yellow coloured full double Tulip of rich appearance, borne erect on a strong stem, good bedder and particularly lovely as a cut-flower. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Grand National (19), a soft sulphur-yellow shading to cream and ivory, a handsome large flower of \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 striking beauty and graceful habit, ideal for bedding.
- Hermione (20), F.C.C. Haarlem 1951, attractive soft lilac-pink colour on a white base, a fine novelty with a perfect ball-formed flower a strong grower and splendid garden variety.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100



**Gerbrand Kieft** 

Holland Festival (18), a pleasing shade of glowing carmine-red, a full double Peony-like flower of a wonderful strong constitution, extremely effective if planted in groups against Evergreens.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Josemite (18), a very attractive violetmauve edged white producing full double flowers on strong stems, much admired for its remarkable colouring. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

LILAC PERFECTION (20), a very pleasing shade of bluish-lilac throughout, flowers are borne on strong stems and develop to greatsize, exceptionally fine. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**L'Immortelle** (22), beautiful old-rose slightly paler towards the end of petals, a spectacular full double flower which opens out to enormous size.

\$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

Livingstone (18), A.M. Haarlem bright cherry pink, a large flower, held on a strong stem, very fine for bedding and lovely when forced. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

May Wonder (20), a large flower of delicate rose-pink, an unusual graceful double Tulip of great substance and strong habit making a rich display in the garden. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Midona (20), very impressive new variety of a beautiful deep brownish-red, excellent full double flower of strong constitution and long lasting qualities, one of the best. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

MOUNT TACOMA (22), F.C.C. Haarlem, resembling a large double white Chinese Peony opening to a peerless white flower of immense size and produced on fairly tall stems, lasting a long time in water when cut, one of the best whites of this section.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Nizza (25), F.C.C. Haarlem 1949, vivid scarlet intermixed in good proportions with stripes of pale chrome-yellow and so giving it a distinct appearance, we are inclined to describe this as an ultra modern Tulip, a very outstanding variety in this class. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**Orange Triumph** (19), an exquisite soft orange flushed brown and narrow golden edge, when fully opened flowers measure 8 in. in diameter, very handsome Tulip (see illustration page 29).

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

**Palette (Vincent van Gogh)** (20), dark violet shading to bronze with soft yellow edging, very handsome fully double flower, blooms are held on strong stems and open to an enormous size.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Pride of Holland (22), the glowing carmine-red flowers are of colossal size and are held on strong erect stems, a fine novelty resembling a double red Peony. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

**ROCKET** (20), warm orange-scarlet an exquisite sport of that wonderful Tulip Eros, flowers are of the same beautiful form and carriage. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Rosy Wonder (20), a real lovely rose coloured new introduction of beautiful flat double form on a strong stem. A flower of striking beauty and graceful habit. \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100

Uncle Tom (18), a uniform deep glossy maroon-red colour, a very beautiful Tulip with large full double flowers, really a distinct shade in Tulips.
\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Valona (18), a lovely glowing mahogany-red with a pronounced broad band of gold at margin. The beautiful Peony-like flower is a model of perfection and is carried erect on a strong stem, very beautiful. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

## Early Single Tulips

Early Single Tulips are very useful for bedding purposes or for garden borders. They do not possess the same size of bloom and length of stem as the May flowering Tulips and may therefore be excellently used in front of late flowering Tulips to extend the flowering season. Of easy culture and fine for forcing.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF EARLY SINGLE TULIPS**

We are always careful that we include only varieties of good merit and beauty in our selections as well as a full range of colours. Bulbs are of first quality and purchasers may rely upon getting very good value in every respect. Collection B for bedding, F for forcing.

25	Bulbs,	, 5	each	of	5	choice	named	varieties,	our	selection,	В	or	F.	٠	٠	٠		•		\$ 3.2	5
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Rainbow mixture of Early Tulips, especially made up from named varieties in a delightful blending of charming colours that will appeal to lovers of flowers. Highly recommended for mass planting in beds and borders where an early display is required. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

BELLONA (15), one of the best golden yellows of this section, a new introduction and a good variety for bedding or forcing, flowers are of good size and carriage and have a delicious fragrance (see illustration page 28). \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Brilliant Star (12), a grand rich dazzling scarlet Tulip; very effective, extremely good and easy forcer, also highly praised for massive bedding purposes. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Cottage Boy (10), a beautiful colour of soft yellow flushed with orange quite distinct from any other colour, the flower is of good shape and carried on a sturdy stem, a showy garden variety.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Couleur Cardinal (12), a fine rich deep cardinal-red flower of erect habit and tremendous lasting qualities, very strongly recommended for bedding and late forcing; in cultivation since 1845.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Cramoisi Brilliant (14), a lovely scarlet bedding Tulip, used for massive bedding purposes. Dating from 1785. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Cullinan (13), a beautiful Tulip of very delicate soft pink, its large somewhat crinkled flowers are of excellent substance, good bedder and lovely when forced. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

**DE WET** (13), a fine orange sport of Prince of Austria, flowers of fiery orange, faintly stippled bright orange-scarlet, are sweetly scented, unsurpassed for forcing and bedding.

\$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

**Diadem** (14), a most interesting Tulip of a distinct old rose colour changing to salmon-pink as the flower ages, very fine garden variety and good forcer. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Diana (12), very large pure white flowers which are held on sturdy stems, excellent for bedding purposes. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

Franz Joseph (14), most attractive deep scarlet-red Tulip, with an enormous flower of great substance.

A model Tulip of perfect habit and an ideal bedder.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Fred Moore (14), goblet shaped terra-cotta with golden buff, orange-tinged flowers, sweet-scented, a splendid Tulip for forcing, highly praised for cutting. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Golden Austria (15), beautiful uniform golden yellow sport of the famous Prince of Austria with all its good characteristics. A welcome addition to this group. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Golden Brilliant (15), a very large golden-yellow flower of fine substance and sturdy habit, recommended for bedding. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

**Hobbema (Le Rêve)** (13), producing large globular flowers of an exquisite art shade, old rose flushed buff with chamois glow, flowers are of unusual substance, one of the latest to bloom in this section.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Ibis (13), an immense deep rose-pink sport of Flamingo, excellent for forcing and also a beauty for bedding. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Joost van den Vondel (14), (raised in 1840), an old favourite with large pointed flowers, colour cerisered, lightly flushed with white, very distinct and pretty border variety, very scarce.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**KEIZERSKROON (GRAND DUC)** (15), bright carmine-scarlet deeply edged golden-yellow, immense large flower, this Tulip is very popular all over the world, robust grower. Since 1750.

\$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100



Bellona

Lady Boreel (12), the pure white form of 'Joost van de Vondel', large pointed flowers of perfect form, recommended for pot-culture and bedding, not for cutting purposes.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Lilac Prince (14), softlilac with a narrow lilac-white edging at margin of petals, a very charming and beautiful variety, good strong grower.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Mad. Gevers (12), a most beautiful clear yellow Tulip of the 'La Reine' family the large flowers are elegantly formed and are produced on a strong stem, a very exquisite and beautiful variety.

**\$ 1.50** per doz.; **\$ 10.50** per 100

**Mainau** (15), a glorious and large flowering uniform deep red Tulip of excellent form and character, altogether a strong garden variety, a real giant, which we are inclined to describe as an improved Couleur Cardinal.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Mon Trésor (12), large pure yellow flowers of erect habit, very effective in beds and one of the best for forcing. In cultivation since 1863.

**\$ 2.30** per doz.; **\$ 16.00** per 100

Pelican (13), a very large pure white Tulip, an improved White Hawk, the flowers are intense white and of great substance, fine for forcing or bedding.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Pink Beauty (13), bright glowing rose colour with a white flush through centre of outer petals, flowers are large and shapely formed, vigorous grower, one of the most beautiful Tulips for bedding.

\$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

Pink Perfection (14), a charming Tulip, soft pink and white on the base, nice flower of good substance on a strong stem. Splendid for forcing and bedding. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Prince of Austria (15), fine rich orange-scarlet flowers of enormous substance, sweet scented and of perfect form, an exquisite variety of striking beauty for all uses. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100

Prince Carnival (15), an artistic combination of red and yellow, an interesting sport of Prince of Austria, very beautiful and we feel sure our customers will welcome this deliciously scented flower.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Princess Irene (12), a soft salmon and orange with buff featherings in the centre part of the petals.

Very remarkable flower because of its rare and unusual colour combination, it is a fine sport of Couleur Cardinal.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

**Princess Juliana** (12), a compact flower of soft pinkish-white beautifully edged deep pink, the nicely crinkled flower held upright on a stiff stem is an ideal bedder of lasting quality.

**Proserpine** (14), large satin-rose flowers of silky appearance, white base, very attractive bedding variety and strongly recommended for early forcing, one of the most beautiful Tulips under cultivation. Since 1875. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Rising Sun (16), a large deep-yellow sport of Duchesse de Parma, flowers are well-formed and produced on strong stems, very beautiful variety for forcing or bedding. Since 1820.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100 SUNBURST (14), a pleasing combination of bright yellow, striped and feathered bright red, the pointed flowers are perfect and well finished, a fine garden variety of unusual interest.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Sunstar (14), a very attractive Tulip of glowing red, beautifully edged deep yellow, large rounded flowers of strong substance carried on strong stems, ideal for bedding and also suitable for indoor culture.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100



Lily Flowering Tulip Dyanito \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100 See page 16



Lily Flowering Tulip White Triumphator \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100 See page 17



Triumph Tulip Aureola \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100 See page 18



Late Double Tulip Orange Triumph \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100 See page 26



Parrot Tulip Sunshine \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100 See page 24



Parrot Tulip Fantasy \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100 See page 23



Viridiflora Tulip Artist \$ 3.25 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100 See page 39



Viridiflora Tulip Greenland \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100 See page 39

- **Thomas Edison** (15), a bright shade of terracotta, shading to golden orange with slightly paler margin, a charming Tulip, very sweetly scented, early forcing. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100
- Van der Neer (12), rich plum-purple flower, a large and magnificent flower of beautiful form produced on a strong stem, strongly recommended for all purposes. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- **Vermilion Brilliant** (12), one of the most beautiful rich dazzling scarlet Tulips, it is a good bedder and a splendid variety for early forcing. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Yellow Prince (12), canary-yellow, sometimes taking a scarlet blush in the lower part of the flower, when forced it is clear yellow, goblet shaped sweet-scented flowers. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

## Early Double Tulips

Double flowering Tulips are of fairly robust growth and have massive flowers, in many cases they are as large as small Peonies and last somewhat longer than Single Tulips. The Double Tulips are not so elegantly formed as Single Tulips, nevertheless they are exceedingly useful and effective for bedding purposes. Most of the Double varieties are excellent forcers and make fine displays when grown in pots pans, boxes, etc., they should be forced slowly.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS**

We include in our collections of Early Double Tulips five beautiful different coloured varieties of the same habit and height, which we can recommend with every confidence.

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- Early Double Tulips Rainbow Mixture, forming one of the most beautiful and striking features in the garden. The mixture is especially made up from named varieties of the same height and habit with Peonylike flowers in great diversity of colours, blending harmoniously to make the display pronounced when massed in beds and borders.

  \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Aga Kahn (12), full deep yellow flower, flushed with bright orange and salmon, a delightful combination of wonderful charm. A grand and most beautiful Tulip, quite distinct from any other colour.

  \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Caliph of Bagdad (16), deep buttercup-yellow flushed with orange when flower ages, a very distinct full double introduction of large size, fine for bedding and valuable for forcing.

**\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.50** per 100

- Dante (10), a uniform large blood-red, a fine full-double flower very suitable for pots. Can be forced from January 10th. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Electra (12), soft carmine-pink and somewhat lighter to the edge, the colouring of this outstanding sport of the popular Murillo is very distinct and extremely beautiful when forced, if planted outside it gives much satisfaction for bedding. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- El Toreador (10), beautiful large brilliant orange-scarlet flowers, broadly margined buff-yellow, most wonderful coloured Tulip. Can be forced from December 15th.

**\$ 1.95** per doz.; **\$ 13.50** per 100

- Goya (12), unusual Tulip of orange-red with yellow at base and we would recommend our customers to plant this Tulip in a sunny position where its charming colour is shown to the best advantage. A most lovely variety with a warm seldom seen colour. \$2.15 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100
- **Johan van Vlaanderen (Clover)** (12), deep purple-mauve, a very outstanding Murillo-sport and an excellent variety for the garden in combination with Mr. v. d. Hoef.

**\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.50** per 100

- Madame Testout (12), one of the most attractive Murillo-sports; a distinct satiny-pink with golden base and undoubtedly the best in the pinks, exquisite in form and texture and a large size flower (see illustration page 32). \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.25 per 100
- Maréchal Niel (12), a pleasing shade of canary-yellow with orange tint, a fine acquisition to this class, recommended. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Mr. van der Hoef (12), a pure yellow sport of Murillo with the same excellent qualities of that variety, much recommended for bedding. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100



Mad. Testout

Murillo Max (14), very delicate rose flushed white, a beautiful Tulip of which the lovely full double well formed flowers are of excellent texture, strongly recommended for massive bedding purposes as well as for steady forcing.

**\$ 2.15** per doz.; **\$ 15.00** per 100

Niels Finsen (12), another fine deep rose coloured sport of the Murillo-type with large fully double flowers, excellent bedding variety and splendid forcing qualities.

\$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100

Orange Nassau (12), large warm orangescarlet sport of Murillo, excellent forcer and a beautiful bedder, without doubt one of the best.

\$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

**Orange Superba** (12), brilliant orange-red a full double Tulip of rich appearance and strong habit, particularly useful as a bedder and superb in all respects.

\$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

**Paul Crampel** (12), a rich deep scarlet shaded sport of Orange Nassau yellow at base, producing perfect double flowers on strong stems, ideal for bedding and late forcing, superb.

**\$ 2.15** per doz.; **\$ 15.00** per 100

**PEACH BLOSSOM** (12), one of the most delightful rosy-pinks in Tulips with large full double flower, very erect and gay;

much recommended for effective bedding and may be forced by end of February; a superb variety in all respects. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

Salmonetta (11), a very unusual shade of soft salmon apricot with a faint of crimson markings up the centre petals, an attractive garden variety of lasting qualities. \$2.15 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100

Scarlet Cardinal (11), unusual rich orange-scarlet colour not seen in any other variety, the flowers are well-formed and are a model of perfection gracefully carried on erect stems. Can be forced from December 15th.

\$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

Schoonoord (12), a beautiful white sport of Murillo, flowers are full double and of perfect form, splendid bedder and good forcer. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

**Sungleam** (12), a lovely soft primrose yellow Tulip, outstanding in colour, form and beauty, a very distinct and unique colour among the double Tulips, fine for forcing.

**\$ 2.30** per doz.; **\$ 16.00** per 100

Tea Rose (Safrano) (12), very distinct shade of primrose-yellow slightly flushed salmon with rose when flower ages, very fine for pot culture. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

Thunderbolt (15), A.M. Haarlem 1954, beautiful uniform lemon-yellow, producing enormous Peonylike flowers on strong stems, undoubtedly one of the best introductions of the last years, excellent bedder and also for early forcing. \$2.50 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100

Vuurbaak (Fire Dome) (12), one of the best fiery-scarlet Double Tulips in cultivation, the exquisite flowers are produced on strong stems. Recommended for bedding on account of their striking colour.

\$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

Wilhelm Kordes (12), a blended orange-yellow, an outstanding Tulip on account of its charming and artistic colour, in our opinion one of the best for bedding in this section, also suitable for late forcing.

\$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

Willemsoord (12), carmine-red edged white, a distinct Tulip of recent introduction of the Murillo type. \$2.30 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100

## **Broken Tulips**

(Feathered and flaked flowers)

The history of Tulips starts with 'broken coloured' Tulips and goes back as far as 1554. These magnificent specimen which in those days were most fashionable and for which in 1635 fabulous prices were paid, can still be admired on old paintings. Broken Tulips have since been classified as Bizarres, Bijbloemen and Rembrandt Tulips according to parentage and colour. These historical Tulips have been kept in culture and they are now offered on this page. Broken Tulips are most artistic and useful for cutting and bedding.

#### REMBRANDT- BIZARRE- AND BIJBLOEMEN TULIPS

They comprise a strain of Darwin- Breeder- and Cottage Tulips which are broken into permanent variegation of lavender, white, red, orange, brown and many other fantastic coloured stripes, flakes and featherings. They are extremely useful for cutting and bedding and flower together with all Mayflowering Tulips.

American Flag (Rembrandt) (28), brilliant deep red with broad marbled white lines and markings, a very strong Tulip flowering in May and of unique beauty. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

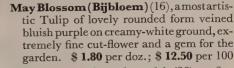
Black Boy (Bizarre) (20), a particular distinct and beautiful variety with a clear golden feathering on a dark mahogany-black ground, a most attractive colour combination; the lovely rounded flowers are of medium size. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

**Bouquet Royal (Bizarre)** (20), a very charming flower of nice form, flamed and feathered rich bronze and mahogany on yellow ground, exceedingly effective in front of the border and for home decoration. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Cordell Hull (Rembrandt) (26), is blood-red on white flowering in May, an exquisite variety for the garden and can be forced after January 10th. \$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

Insulinde (Bizarre) (21), one of the most beautiful Bizarre Tulips with a rare combination of yellow and bronze intermingled with mahogany and violet, the well-formed flowers are gracefully carried on a thin but strong stem. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Madame de Pompadour (Rembrandt) (20), white flamed with soft lilac-purple giving it the appearance of a fine Rembrandt Tulip, a variety of unusual interest and an outstanding member of this section. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100



Montgomery (Rembrandt) (26), a fine strong variety of excellent form and pleasing colour combination of pure white beautifully edged rosy-red, very attractive.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Paljas (Rembrandt) (26), the large flowers are white with clear featherings of scarlet, which gives it a handsome appearance, distinct and beautiful, appropriately named, very interesting in the garden.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100



**Broken Tulips** 

#### Mixture of Rembrandt- Bizarreand Bijbloemen Tulips

Composed of these Tulips we offer a mixture which is unsurpassed for its sensational and artistic effect. It embraces the shades of striped and flaked scarlet on white ground; orange, brown and black featherings on a yellow ground with the violet and rose feathering on white ground. If cut these Tulips create a historical yet modern effect.

\$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

## Kaufmanniana Tulips

One of the most remarkable groups of Hybrids of recent introduction form the beautiful Tulipa Kaufmanniana. They flower far ahead of other Tulips on short stems and establish themselves easily, coming up freely year after year without any care. Most of them have mottled, striped, or spotted foliage like Greigii, which is a beautiful and interesting characteristic on its own. We very strongly recommend them for the rock-garden, border and other places where they can be left undisturbed.

- ELITE MIXTURE (PEACOCK TULIPS), a very fine mixture raised from Greigii × Kaufmanniana which will be found to include many surprise-seedlings of unusual colour combinations and interesting mottled foliage (see illustration page 47). \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- **Kaufmanniana (Waterlily Tulip)** (Central Asia) (6), charming species producing in March large flowers of elegant form and remarkable beauty, colour soft creamy-white centre slightly marked with carmine-red, strongly recommended for planting in groups in borders and in rock-gardens, may be left undisturbed for years.

  \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Alfred Cortot (8), an outstanding Hybrid on account of its striking colour of glowing bright scarlet with a jet-black base and beautifully mottled leaves. Highly commended at R.H.S. Wisley trials 1948, early flowering.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Berlioz (5), a flower of exquisite loveliness and one of the most outstanding in this section, the very elegantly formed flower is uniform citron yellow, exterior of the three outer petals slightly flushed Turkish-red, distinctly marked brown foliage.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Brilliant (8), fine Turkish-red variety, exterior flushed purple with golden yellow base, only a few bulbs for disposal the present season.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- César Franck (8), one of the most beautiful and striking members of this group, flowers are deep yellow having a broad orange-red flame on the outer petals. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- coccinea (8), A.M. Wisley 1948, an extremely beautiful species of a uniform carmine-red, very outstanding in colour and a beauty for the rock-garden, early flowering. 50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Corona (10), A.M. Wisley 1948, exterior carmine-red with a broad yellow band at margin, interior soft yellow with a rich mark at base, producing a beautiful large flower with prettily mottled foliage.
   60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- **Edwin Fisher** (6), A.M. Wisley 1948, a charming flower of citron-yellow with upright large broad carmine-red blotch on outer petals, inner petals yellow with a very small red stripe, base orange-yellow, marked with black and red blotches, mottled foliage, medium early.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

- Elliott (8), creamy-white with broad patch of carmine on outer segments, very large flowers, a splendid variety of great charm creating an exciting beautiful effect when fully open in the sun (see illustration page 47).

  \$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.00 per 100
- Fritz Kreisler (8), A.M. Wisley 1948, a magnificent Tulip of breath-taking beauty, of a lovely warm watermelon-rose slightly paler towards margin, a fine introduction. 50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Gaiety (4), this truly represents a Water-lily, the very large flowers seem to rest on their sturdy foliage, the lovely flowers open up to an enormous size in the sun, interior creamy-white with large orange-yellow base, outer petals marked pinkish-red, a distinguished variety (see illustration page 35).

  \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Glück (6), a charming and extremely attractive flower of a soft yellow with a red patch on outer petals, foliage with conspicuous brown markings.

  35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- Golden Earrings (10), deep golden yellow flushed carmine-red, a beautiful Kaufmanniana hybrid with long shaped flowers and distinctly mottled foliage.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Golden Sun (8), strikingly beautiful on account of its deep golden yellow with a triangular blush of scarlet in the centre of the outer petals, imposing appearance, one of the most outstanding hybrids of this section, foliage distinctly mottled.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Goudstuk (Gold Coin) (8), a charming variety producing large flowers with exceptional broad petals of deep golden yellow with crimson ring inside of bloom, very exquisite.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Heart's Delight (8), a most striking carmine-red broadly edged rosy-white flower, a wonderful effective coloured Hybrid with prettily mottled foliage.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Jeantine (6), beautiful long-shaped flower of medium size, colour buff-rose faintly edged rosy-red, creamy-white base, very attractive because of its pleasing colouring. 50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Johann Strauss (8), a dainty white flower with a cream centre, exterior flushed with red, deep green foliage striped brown (see illustration page 47).

\$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100

Josef Kafka (7), F.C.C. Wisley 1948, A.M. Haarlem 1949, one of the darkest yellow Kaufmanniana hybrids in cultivation, exterior golden yellow with an extremely large and conspicuous scarlet centre, leaves mottled, one of the most striking Tulips. \$ 1.50 each

Oriental Beauty (10), a brilliant vermilion-red coloured novelty of striking beauty, truly a most fascinating Tulip with heavily marbled foliage, very exquisite and rich.

\$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100



Gaiety

Peacock Tulips, see Elite Mixture.

Racine (8), carmine-rose, pale rose edged, when fully open in the sun it shows pure white inside with beautiful orange-yellow at the base with orange-red band.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

**Robert Schumann** (6), A.M. Wisley 1948, a very beautiful hybrid producing a charming flower of elegant form outer petals yellow with upright large broad dark red blotches, inside pure yellow, base soft orange-yellow shared by a red blotch from the other part of the petals.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Robert Stolz (5), a brilliant self-coloured scarlet variety of a dwarf habit, yellow and black at base, with distinctly purple marked foliage.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Scarlet Elegance (8), another very beautiful member of the Kaufmanniana family, bright dazzling scarlet, one of the earliest to bloom. Strongly recommended.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

**Shakespeare** (7), distinct and beautiful flower being a blend of salmon, apricot and orange, interior being shaded with red, very free flowering. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

**Solanus** (8), A.M. Wisley 1948, a very beautiful hybrid with striking colour combination, deep golden yellow flowers with a broad orange-red flame on the outer petals, very handsome and wonderfully effective in the rockery or against low growing conifers. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Sparkling Eye (9), A.M.R.H.S. a large flowered variety having a striking yet beautifully harmonizing variation of colour, exterior of flower yellow flushed with claret rose, interior buttercup yellow overlaid with brownish streaks, passing to a band of Indian orange to the top and the base faintly flushed towards centre with claret rose. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Stresa (8), one of the tallest in this section, rich golden yellow, orange-red band on outside of segments, interior golden-yellow with red markings in its base, very fine and outstanding (see illustration page 47).

\$ 3.45 per doz.; \$ 24.00 per 100

The First (6), this very interesting variety is the earliest to flower, cream-yellow passing to white, exterior vivid crimson-red broadly edged white, this very large flower should not be missed in any garden (see illustration page 47).

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Vivaldi (7), A.M. Wisley 1948, a very striking flower of a creamy-yellow colour, outer petals with broad blotch having a conspicuous crimson ring round a large bronzy base, leaves prettily dotted brown, very fine. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

# Fosteriana Tulips

Is it not somewhat remarkable to think that after more than three centuries of careful cultivation and hybridising, Western Europa has not been able to produce anything to match in size and brilliancy of colour with these Bokhara Tulips growing wild on the mountain slopes of the Asiatic desert. We may, however, predict that by the influence of Tulipa Fosteriana in course of time an extremely large new strain of Tulips will be produced that will stand out in size and colour such as Tulipa Fosteriana Red Emperor (Mad Lefeber), Holland's Glory etc. Plant Tulips Fosteriana 4 inches deep.

**NEW FOSTERIANA MIXED HYBRID TULIPS,** we offer a very fine Mixture of colours of these new Masterpiece Tulips which come from a crossing between Fosteriana and Kaufmanniana Tulips. They produce many different pastel shades and have most wonderful conspicuous coloured hearts and are exceptionally choice, exotic, fascinating and beautiful (see illustration page 47).

**\$ 1.90** per doz.; **\$ 13.00** per 100

Albas (16), long, well-shaped flower of dull buff-rose, inside pure white with conspicuous yellow base, when fully opened it gives the impression of a totally white appearance, very outstanding in its section.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Canopus (24), the exceptionally brilliant colour of this vivid red Tulip is indeed fascinating, producing a plant of strong growth and stands up to adverse weather conditions. Ideal for beauty spots in the garden where a startling effect is desired. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Cantata (12), an outstanding variety with handsome vermilion-red flowers forming a vivid contrast to the shiny green foliage. \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

**CHERRY FLIP** (18), a remarkable introduction with large creamy-white flowers having yellow stamens and a golden-yellow base edged with scarlet markings, exterior of outer petals carmine edged white, when fully opened flowers measure 9 inches across, fine sturdy plant.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Czardas (12), an exceptionally brilliant colour of flaming orange-scarlet, a most fascinating large Tulip highly appreciated as a garden plant where it creates a striking effect. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Easter Parade (15), A.M. R.H.S. 1954, a beautiful coloured Fosteriana hybrid of pure yellow, flushed red, the centre is yellow with a red margin at base, a magnificent flower of great size.

Feu Superbe (18), most fascinating colour of bright oriental red, an exceptionally well-formed flower of grand quality and smooth texture on a sturdy stem, a very ornamental plant in the rock-garden with great lasting qualities.

Gold Beater (12), rich golden-yellow throughout, a most sensational and outstanding hybrid, producing large flowers of a beautiful shape and texture borne on sturdy stems.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

**Pinkeen** (20), a new immaculate novelty of great merit and charm with large longish flowers of a peculiar penetrating orange-cerise-pink turning in a new shade of rosy as the flower develops. One of the most remarkable yet noble Tulips we have seen to-date. Strong sturdy plant much resembling Red Emperor (Mad. Lefeber) in type height and carriage, flowering at the same time.

princeps (16), exceptionally fine large vermilion-scarlet flowers, borne on short stems, highly recommended for the rock-garden. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

RED EMPEROR (MAD. LEFEBER) (20), F.C.C. Haarlem, positively the most beautiful Tulip under cultivation colossal blooms on erect stems of an indescribably magnificent and vivid blazing orange-vermilion-scarlet, base black bordered yellow, Very sturdy grower and one of the earliest to bloom. Strongly recommended (see illustration page 47). \$1.40 per doz.; \$9.75 per 100

Red Riband (18), A.M. Haarlem 1949, a gorgeous variety of brilliant red with bright yellow on the base, black edged, a very handsome flower of enormous substance borne on a rigid stem, a very showy garden Tulip, flowering in the second half of April. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Rockery Beauty (8), from this splendid race of Tulips a very dwarf sport has been selected of which the pointed flowers are of a dazzling orange-scarlet colour and of particularly beautiful habit, a treasure in the rock-garden. \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100

Samba (20), this unique variety produces a lovely creamy-white flower, blackish maroon at base, very outstanding in colour and character in this section.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Scherzo (12), a well-formed large flower of sulphur-white with a distinct bronzy-yellow margin at base, a most beautiful and unique coloured Fosteriana hybrid, a superb flower remarkably beautiful as it opens to the sun.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

white EMPEROR (PURISSIMA) (20), A.M. Haarlem 1949, the only white variety ever been raised in this section, the colour is milky white, very remarkable large flowers, long lasting and constantly fresh looking, its effect is of delicate loveliness.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

# **Botanical Tulip Species**

Some of the Tulip Species are very scarce, therefore please order early to ensure delivery. A large number of the dainty and small species like Linifolia, Batalinii, Eichleri, etc., are especially recommended for the rock-garden where the little groups of flowers are best seen to advantage, and multiply their excitement and glory in early spring. Tulip Species may be left undisturbed for years.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF RARE TULIP SPECIES**

As in all collections of bulbs offered in this catalogue, the collections of Rare Tulip Species are made up very carefully, containing the best and most interesting for the rock-garden and other choice places.

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- acuminata (cornuta, stenopetala) (18), this species shows the most interesting diversity of floral traits, fantastical flowers are produced on straight stems, petals are very elegant of longish and wiry habit, colour primrose-yellow suffused scarlet, a magnificent species which can be strongly recommended to all collectors of hardy bulbs. \$ 1.95 per doz.; \$ 13.50 per 100
- Batalinii (6), a very charming species producing in April dainty flowers of magnificent form and distinct colour of a soft chrome-yellow with deeper yellow centre, a magnificent companion to linifolia, as beautiful as it is rare.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.
- Batalinii Bright Gem (5), beautiful sulphur-yellow flushed with a delicate shade of salmon-pink, producing strong cup-shaped flowers of dainty habit and may be regarded as a most welcome species for the rock-garden.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- biflora (8), a pretty little species from the Altai Mountains, bearing on branching stems cream-coloured flowers shaded outside purplish rose and green, flowering in March. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- chrysantha (6), a magnificent little species from the Himalayan, exterior of flower pure rose-carmine merging to buff towards the base, interior pure buttercup-yellow throughout, we offer selected bulbs that will bloom freely. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- Clusiana (The Lady Tulip) (9), a charming little gem, sometimes called Candlestick Tulip, outer petals cherry red, with inner petals white, violet base, plant in a warm and sheltered position.
  - \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.50 per 100
- cretica (4), nearly white, tinged pink with a dull yellow stain as basal blotch, yellow anthers, early April flowering, very scarce. 75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.
- Eichleri (Turkestan) (12), a very beautiful species with lovely glowing scarlet flowers of medium size base glistering black yellow margined and sharply pointed segments, the weather resistant flowers come rather early but always attract much attention with their distinct bluish-green foliage not seen with any other Tulip. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100
- **Eichleri excelsa** (13), an improved form with extra large crimson-scarlet flowers, very fine, late flowering. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Hageri (8), an outstanding species with copper-red oval-shaped flowers overlaid with olive-green giving it a curious greenish appearance, another gem for the rock-garden. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Hageri splendens (8), very attractive little globular flowers of dark crimson-scarlet, outside shaded copper-red with black base, flowers are produced in great profusion (several flowers on one stem) and are exceedingly dainty, a real treasure for the rock-garden. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100
- Kolpakowskiana (6), golden yellow shaded copper-red on exterior of petals; it is not a particularly exciting plant though worthy a partial shaded niche in the rock-garden.

  \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- linifolia (6), A.M. R.H.S., one of the most beautiful and dainty species for the rock-garden, native of Darwas in Eastern Bokhara, flowering in April, it has glowing scarlet cup-shaped flowers with a conspicuous black centre also very charming for any choice spot in the garden, strongly recommended. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Marjolettii (16), producing pretty little elegant flowers of creamy-white faintly flaked with pink, also very fine for cutting. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

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Maximowiczii (8), also from the Bokhara, very much like Tulipa linifolia with the same scarlet flowers but with different foliage and flowering about ten days earlier.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

montana (syn. Wilsoniana) (9), previously listed in our catalogues as Wilsoniana but montana seems to be the correct botanical name, nevertheless it is a rare and very little known species from Asia Minor with brilliant vermilion-scarlet flowers with conspicuous yellow stamens, flat open flowers.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Orphanidea (9), an interesting species flowering in late April; it has the unusual but attractive combination of buff-orange, shaded bronze-green and yellow at base, the pretty flowers show the grace of line and the slender beauty of the conventional Tulip, immortalized on the hills of Kuthania in Greece. \$2.30 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100

persica (Breyniana) (5), a very special treasure of dwarf habit, one of the very last Tulips to flower, having several flowers on branched stems, interior of the fragrant starry flowers is brilliant yellow, exterior golden bronze, very effective and attractive.

**\$ 3.60** per doz.; **\$ 25.00** per 100

praecox (20), from Asia-Minor and around the Mediterranean, a rather dull scarlet flower, of no decorative value. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**PRAESTANS** (SUAVEOLENS SYLVESTRIS) (7), a very interesting variety which we can strongly recommend, it produces 3 to 4 flowers on a stem and is of the loveliest orange-scarlet imaginable.

**\$ 1.30** per doz.; **\$ 9.00** per 100

70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

praestans Fusilier (10), another beautiful species worthy of a prominent position in any rockery, a brilliant orange-scarlet dwarf growing variety, producing 4 to 6 flowers on each stem, rising out of luscious dark green leaves, fine as a potplant in the Alpine house. \$ 3.25 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100

praestans Zwanenburg (10), expanded vermilion blossoms with pointed segments, somewhat resembling a miniature Poinsettia, produces 3 to 4 flowers on a stem. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

pulchella humilis (4), a very rare and beautiful species which always attracts much attention when flowering in the early days of spring; it grows with Crocus-like flowers of a pretty violet pink shade and a very large and distinct yellow base, earliest to flower.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

**pulchella violacea (Violet Queen)** (4), a species of great beauty, flowers are cup-shaped of a reddish-purple colour carried on a slender stem and of great lasting qualities truly a charming little Tulip, unequalled in colour and is the first to bloom, usually in February (see illustration page 47).

saxatilis, none to offer this year.

sylvestris (florentina) (10), the sweet scented wild English Tulip, their fragrance is like that of violets, colour beautiful rich pure yellow, elegant flowers which open very wide in full sun; must become established before flowering freely, rapid increaser. \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

tarda (dasystemon) (3), one of the most desirable Tulips for the rock-garden, producing a lovely bunch of 3 to 6 delightful star-shaped flowers standing gracefully out of the spreading foliage, outer segments tinged with green, interior soft yellow emerging into white at end of petals, truly a most charming species.

\$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.00 per 100

turkestanica (8), this interesting species is closely allied to Tulipa biflora but is much more robust in habit and has 5 to 9 flowers on a stem, creamy flowers with a green and bronzy flush on the exterior and has great lasting qualities. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

urumiensis (6), very rare species from Asia-Minor, produces expanded flowers inside golden yellow with bronze on outer petals, one of the finest species for the rock-garden, flowers are resting on a rosette of spreading-leaves.

80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

Wilsoniana, see montana.

# Greigii Tulips (with marked and mottled foliage)

We offer these magnificent Greigii and Greigii Hybrid Tulips in a special Sub-Division as we do Kaufmanniana, Fosteriana and others.

They are certainly very outstanding. When more available and plentiful, they are bound to become a very important group of Tulips for garden decoration, not only because of their splendid colours but also on account of their beautifully marked and mottled leaves and long lasting qualities. They are indeed a recognized triumph from the raisers of these outstanding Tulips.

- Fatuma (12), a lovely dazzling orange-scarlet with a faint flush of crimson on outer petals, a very outstanding flower on account of its fine form and colour, robust plant with marbled and mottled purple foliage. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.
- **Jessica** (12), brilliant scarlet-red throughout, a wonderful species of enormous size, outstanding for its beautiful form and very decorative broad foliage, which is slightly mottled.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

- **Karatau** (12), enormous flowers of brilliant scarlet outside and orange scarlet inside, black centre, with beautifully mottled and waved foliage, very handsome.

  80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.
- Margaret Herbst (12), a handsome vermilion-red flower of great size, vigorous habit and of true Greigii form, leaves are beautifully marked and mottled, outstanding. \$ 2.00 each
- Oratorio (8), a wonderful rosy-red hybrid, black at base with striking dark purplish striped foliage, beautiful, attractive and outstanding in every way

  80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.
- Oriental Splendour (12), a novelty of striking beauty with huge flowers of carmine-red edged lemonyellow, interior lemon-yellow, black at base, large green leaves prominently striped with purple. Only a few bulbs available. \$ 2.00 each
- PANDOUR (8), another beautiful novelty with large yellow and red flowers of fine habit and poise, marked and mottled leaves. \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100
- Pride of Caucasus (11), a wonderful sparkling orange hybrid, brown at base, yellow edged, beautiful and outstanding in every way.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Red Riding Hood (8), sparkling oriental-scarlet, a most fascinating hybrid on account of its very dark brownish-purple marked spreading leaves, a rich jewel in this section. 80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.
- Rockery Wonder (14), a lovely hybrid of glowing orange, flushed with bronze, black at base, a most charming new introduction with beautifully mottled foliage, a striking variety for the rock-garden. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Greigii Hybrids in Various Shades of Red and Orange producing large flowers, in a magnificent variation of beautiful shades from orange-red, vermilion to dazzling scarlets, creating a wonderful effect in the garden, leaves are marked and mottled purple.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

## Viridiflora Tulips (Green Tulips)

Many visitors to our Flowershow Exhibits were delighted about the delicate elegance of these Tulips and therefore the 'green' viridiflora Tulips have been separately listed. They are green shaded and considered to be the most delicate of all Tulips, ever created. The green structure of the flower petals enable these varieties to stand all weather conditions extremely well.

- ARTIST (10), A.M. Haarlem, a rare member of the Tulip genus with flowers of a very unusual colour combination of terra-cotta and green passing entirely green as flower ages, extremely long lasting, of much interest to Tulip collectors (see illustration page 30). \$ 3.25 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100
- **Cherie** (14), beautiful greenish-yellow with green feathering on the outside of petals, a very distinct and artistic flower of uncommon beauty, only a few bulbs available. \$ 2.00 each
- Formosa (14), uniform greenish-yellow throughout with a marking of green on the outside, an attractive well-formed flower of great substance and very suitable for artistic flowerwork, one of the latest to bloom. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- GREENLAND (20), luminous deep Old Rose petals with a broad green central band, which has a diffused creamy-yellow edging; the interior has a fascinating 'Mother of Pearl' sheen over this most attractive and arresting new colour combination. Long lasting and a lovely flower for garden or artistic floral-decoration (see illustration page 30).

  \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- Pimpernel (18), glowing carmine-red with a marking of green on the outside, a most elegant novelty with pointed heavily reflexing petals, of most fascinating beauty. \$ 2.00 each
- viridiflora (18), a distinct and curious flower with waved petals, colour pale green margined soft yellow, very elegant and beautiful.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- viridiflora praecox (18), a larger form of Tulipa viridiflora, very distinct. 75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

# Daffodils and Narcissi

The beauty of the Daffodil and the Narcissus is unquestioned and the fascination of the new varieties which appear each year gives proof of the ever growing interest and keen competition to obtain new varieties both by the Trade and the Collector, many of whom spend a life-time in experimenting and hoping for a new attraction.

Some confusion sometimes arises when Daffodils are referred to as Narcissi. The term Narcissi is the common name since the Daffodils are that section of the genus which gives long trumpets and the commonly called Narcissi are the short-cupped and crown types. It is well to be clear as to the description of the bulbs offered in our Catalogue. A Mother bulb is composed of a number of old and young portions which will give three to four blooms, a Double Nosed bulb has two or more Flowering 'noses' enclosed in one outer skin and generally gives two and more flowers. A round bulb has no offsets and gives one to two blooms. We handle only Double-Nosed and Mother Bulbs

Naturalizing Daffodils and Narcissi in Grass etc. All Daffodils and Narcissi are suitable for naturalizing but in very heavy soils, preference should be given to stronger growing sorts e.i. Trumpet varieties and many Large Cupped sorts. They are all admirably adaptable for grassy slopes and banks, where they should be freely planted. A splendid effect is obtained when Trumpet and other varieties are grouped separately, scattered on the ground and planted where they fall.

Soil and its Treatment. Daffodils and Narcissi will thrive in any well-cultivated and well-drained garden soil. In preparing the ground for planting, dig deeply and if well rotted stable or cow manure is available this may advantageously be dug in 18 to 20 inches deep so as not to come into immediate contact with the bulbs. Never use fresh manure of any kind at planting time. On poor and dry sandy soils we recommend a dressing of sulphate of potash at a rate of about 1 oz. per square yard to be sprinkled over the surface of the ground after planting.

Growing Daffodils in the greenhouse or indoors. All types of Daffodils and Narcissi are suitable for this purpose. Pot up the bulbs on arrival and if ordinary pots are used take a good loamy soil, adding sufficient sand and peat to keep the mixture open. A light dusting of bone meal is also useful. Pot firmly in well-crocked pots. For bowls without drainage holes use a good fibre. Plunge the pots and/or bowls in the coolest place of your garden and in the absence of garden space the pots may be placed in a cool cellar (35–40°F) where watering from time to time is necessary. When the shoots are about 4 inches long and the flower buds well out of the neck of the bulbs, the pots may be removed into a warm room. Heat should be gradually increased from 50° to max. 60°F.

It is advisable to remove the foliage of the sideshoots, if these do not show a flower bud. Just before the buds are open, water should be spread lightly over the buds, when they are in bloom less water should be applied.

Revised System for the Classification of Daffodils, in use since January 1, 1950.

The whole Genus is now classified in eleven Divisions as follows:

Ia. Yellow Trumpets – Ib. Bicolor Trumpets – Ic. White Trumpets – IIa. Large-Cupped, yellow perianth, coloured cup or corona – IIb. Large-Cupped, white perianth, coloured cup or corona – IId. Large-Cupped, not falling in a, b, or c – IIIa. Small-Cupped, yellow perianth, coloured cup or corona – IIIb. Small-Cupped, white perianth, coloured cup or corona – IIIb. Small-Cupped, white perianth, coloured cup or corona – IIId. Small-Cupped, not falling in a, b, or c – IV. Double varieties – V. Triandrus Narcissi – VI. Cyclamineus Narcissi – VII. Jonquilla Narcissi – VIII. Tazetta Hybrids (Poetaz etc.) – IX. Poeticus Narcissi – X. Species and Wild forms and Hybrids – XI. Miscellaneous Narcissi not falling into any of the foregoing Divisions.

#### GIFT TOKENS

Bulbs make a very suitable present where other articles fail. We supply Gift Tokens to any value desired and they are in the form of an attractive card to enable recipients to select Bulbs from our Catalogue to the specified value.

On receipt of remittance at our Hamilton Office the Token can be sent direct to the recipient together with a copy of our current Catalogue.

# **New and Choice Daffodils**

We offer the following list of very choice Daffodils and Narcissi, which should be of special interest to the Connoisseurs. The bulbs offered are top sized and orders for these particular varieties should reach us please as early as possible. The earlier the bulbs are planted the better the results.

- Air Marshal (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. R.H.S. 1957, a large flower with very broad widespread perianth of intense glistening golden yellow, rather straight cup of bright orange-red, slightly paler at the base and nicely frilled at mouth. A striking variety of wonderful form, a tall upstanding plant.
- Apricot Beauty (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. Haarlem 1954, most graceful and lovely flower, spreading ivory-white perianth and large frilled flat crown of a beautiful apricot colouring, which does not readily fade; a very charming show-flower.
- Apricot Distinction (Small-Cupped 3a), A.M. Haarlem, a very rare and distinct novelty with pure apricot coloured perianth and brilliant orange cup, provoked a great deal of attention at our stand at 60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz. the 1960 R.H.S. Daffodil Show.
- Arbar (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. (e) R.H.S. 1959, a most wonderful large flower of perfect form and substance; the pure white perianth is very broad and flat with a large saucer-shaped cup of deep reddish-orange, which stands sun reasonably well.
- Arctic Gold (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. R.H.S. 1959, the broad overlapping deep golden yellow perianth is of smooth waxy texture, and the well-proportioned trumpet is widely flanged and serrated at the mouth. The whole flower is of a deeper gold than Goldcourt.
- Ardelinis (White Trumpet 1c), one of the very finest White Trumpets up to date, a large flower of most perfect form, balance, quality and fine carriage, broad smooth flat perianth and perfectly 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz. proportioned neatly flanged trumpet, very durable substance.
- Armada (Large-Cupped 2a), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1947, an outstanding and magnificent novelty raised by Mr. Guy L. Wilson and caused a real sensation, a well posed 4½ inches in diameter flower with smooth, broad much overlapping intense deep yellow perianth and deep tangerine red-orange cupshaped crown, 1 in. long and about 11/2 in. in diameter at its frilled and expanded mouth, truly a most \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz. striking and early flower, vigorous grower.
- Ave (Large-Cupped 2c), a most perfect large absolutely pure white flower of flawless smoothness and symmetry, having broad pointed flat perianth standing at right angles to the large well-balanced crown, a large crowned Leedsii under the old classification.
- Avenger (Large-Cupped 2b), a very fine flower probably the best red and white large cup yet introduced, perfectly round and flat perianth of wonderful smooth velvety texture and immense substance, bearing a large almost flat crown of intense deep orange-red slightly serrated at the edge. A magnif-\$ 35.00 each icent show-flower.
- Ballycastle (Small-Cupped 3b), one of the most charming and attractive flowers which attracted considerable attention as a show-flower; broad pure white perianth, shallow white crown daintily illuminated by a sparkling golden rim.
- Bann (Large-Cupped 2b), a beautiful large flower of perfect balance and quality; broad pure white perianth, well proportioned, nicely flanged crown of pleasing clear biscuit buff.

70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

Bastion (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. R.H.S. and Midland Daffodil Society, a late flowering deep self-golden trumpet of fine quality and substance, having very broad flat smooth perianth standing at right angles to the rather long straight-sided trumpet, splendid for exhibition.

70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

Belisana (Large-Cupped 2b), F.C.C. Haarlem 1952, in our opinion the largest of the 2b section in cultivation producing flowers of enormous size, pure white well proportioned perianth with gigantic expanding flat yellow crown with appealing frilled orange edge, perfect form.

70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

- Binkie (Reversed Bicolor 2d), A.M. (g) Haarlem 1950, a curious and most distinct attractive variety, flowers are of excellent form, balance and fine substance, having broad flat-pointed perianth and a well-proportioned crown, on first opening the whole flower is a most pleasant clear sulphur-lemon, 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz. but the crown gradually passes to almost pure white.
- Blarney (Small-Cupped 3b), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1946, large flower, having firm satin smooth, snow-white perianth and flat apricot-orange crown with a narrow primrose rim, a most charming flower of fine 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz. quality and balance and a favourite for the show-table.

- **Border Chief** (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. R.H.S. 1959, a large flower with bright golden yellow perianth, of grand quality and a large expanding bowl shaped crown of intense deep orange-red, one of the most outstanding novelties in the red and yellow section. \$ 6.50 each
- **Broughshane** (White Trumpet 1c), A.M. R.H.S. and Haarlem 1948, a glorious giant white trumpet of perfect form and balance, the noble trumpet being widely flanged, reflexed and frilled, does not overbalance the immense perianth which is fully  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, the outer segments being up to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches wide, the great flower which is of immense substance and quite exceptionally durable, is carried on a strong stem and has very broad foliage. **60 cts** each; \$ **6.00** per doz.
- **Bryher** (Small-Cupped 3c), a wonderful Silver Coin seedling with very large broad rounded white perianth of lovely quality and a small white eye with green centre, tall vigorous plant. **75 cts** each
- **Buncrana** (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S., a most distinct and beautiful first-class show-flower having very broad flat pure white shovel-shaped segments and a beautifully proportioned longish frilled cup of unusual deep peachy-orange shade.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
- Cantabile (Poeticus 9), frosty white perianth of perfect form, large deep green eye with a deep red rim, a most charming and graceful poeticus but has to be cut in bud to preserve the colour.

35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.

- Cantatrice (White Trumpet 1c), F.C.C. R.H.S., this variety has recorded a remarkable triumph at the various flower-shows all over the world and leads the field for grace and beauty of form. A flower of a most exquisite and smooth texture, clean cut pointed even perianth standing out sharply from the well-balanced perfectly smooth rather slender trumpet, absolutely pure clear-white throughout, a perfect beauty, for several years voted the second best variety for exhibition. \$ 1.00 each
- Carnlough (Large-Cupped 2c), a distinct flower of strong sturdy habit and superb quality, broad firm flat pure white perianth; on first opening the crown is citron with a frill of soft coral-pink while entire flower passes to purest white throughout, exceptionally durable.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
- **Ceylon** (Large-Cupped 2a), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1948, one of the most magnificent red and yellow flowers seen up to date, a flower of beautiful form and proportion, with broad smooth shovel-pointed over-lapping perianth of deep intense aureolin gold that has an almost metallic sheen and a goffered goblet-shaped crown of dark, clear intense cadmium orange-red, quite sunproof, tall robust plant.

**80** cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

- Charity May (Cyclamineus 6a), F.C.C. (g), A.M. (e) R.H.S., clear self coloured yellow cyclamineus hybrid of a very charming character with broad reflexed petals and elegantly formed cup, slightly expanded and frilled at mouth (see illustration page 43).

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Chérie (Jonquilla 7b), a most unusual and charming hybrid, having an ivory-white perianth with a small cup distinctly flushed pale shell-pink. One to three smallish flowers on each stem, very exquisite.

  25 cts each; \$ 2.50 per doz.
- Chinese White (Small-Cupped 3c), F.C.C. R.H.S. and Haarlem 1950 very large flower of quite fault-less form and quality, pure-white throughout except for a point touch of green in the eye, perfectly proportioned shallow-fluted saucer crown, a superb show-flower, quite unique. \$ 1.00 each
- Chungking (Small-Cupped 3a), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, a gorgeous and magnificent Small-Cupped variety, a large tall-stemmed very circular flower, having broad, smooth, clear yellow perianth and an intense deep vivid red shallow crown.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Content (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), A.M. R.H.S., a very large and quite unique trumpet, the noble perianth is built of broad long flat petals of a fine smooth quality and substance. When first opening it is a uniform tone of lovely soft greenish primrose throughout, gradually passing to a very pale lemonwhite all over, except the brim of the long graceful trumpet which retains a dainty frill of lemon, very vigorous grower.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- **Corofin** (Small-Cupped 3b), a really lovely medium-sized flower with very broad rounded snow-white perianth of immensely thick waxy substance; the yellow eye is almost flat with a broad crinkled margin of bright red, an ideal show-flower on a tall stiff stem. \$ 1.00 each
- **Craigywarren** (Large-Cupped 2a), a large flower of fine quality and solid texture, much overlapping deep yellow perianth and a beautifully proportioned crimson-red crown, first class.
- Cromarty (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. (e.g.) R.H.S., this trumpet of faultless form and beautiful quality has a broad smooth flat perianth standing at right angles to the neatly flanged and serrated trumpet, ideal garden plant of great lasting power, moreover a perfect exhibition flower of faultless form, finish and colour.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Cushendall (Small-Cupped 3c), A.M. R.H.S., in our opinion the best green-eyed flower under cultivation; it is of faultless form, quality and splendid substance, broad smooth circular overlapping perianth of purest sparkling Poeticus-white, very shallow saucer crown edged with a delicate cream-coloured frill, centre is a lovely moss-green, very late.

  75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

**Dallas** (Small-Cupped 3c), a novelty of splendid quality and fine substance broad overlapping pure white perianth with an almost flat white crown, greenishin centre, excellent show-flower. \$ 2.25 each

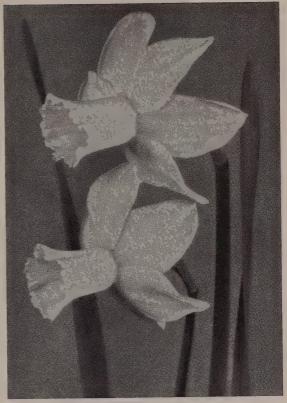
Daviot (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S. 1953, a distinct flower of exceptional charm, grace and refinement, the clear pure white perianth, which has a hint of cool green shading where the petals join the crown, is of a most lovely quality. The rather goblet-shaped crown is clear bright orange coral, shading towards primrose at the rim. Vigorous grower. \$ 1.25 each

**Deodora** (Large-Cupped 2c), A.M. R.H.S. 1959, large pure white perianth segments very broad and flat slightly pointed at the tips and of splended thick substance and quality with a large saucer shaped crown of palest primrose soon passing to almost white with nicely frilled margin of greenish lemon. A superb show-flower.

\$ 10.00 each

**Dominator** (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. Haarlem 1948, a real giant among the trumpets and a wonderful Daffodil in size and substance, balance and proportion, broad thick overlapping perianth of deep golden yellow with large serrated golden yellow trumpet, a magnificent flower for garden and exhibition.

70 ets each; \$ 7.00 per doz.



Charity May

Double Event (Double 4), A.M. R.H.S. 1952, a very round flower, the larger segments are pure white and interspersed among them in the centre are small segments of soft lemon yellow. A very distinct novelty; fine robust plant with strong tall stems.

\$ 3.50 each

**Doubtful** (Small-Cupped 3a), a lovely near medium sized flower with a clear yellow very smooth flat perianth and a small goblet shaped cup of intense glowing orange red, the best bloom in R.H.S. Daffodil Competition 1952. \$ 2.00 each

Dreamlight (Small-Cupped 3b), A.M. Haarlem 1949, an exquisite flower with broad smooth circular perianth of sparkling snow-white, pale grey-green eye sharply edged deep cerise, a beautiful bright coloured show-flower.

35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.

Empress of Ireland (White Trumpet 1c), A.M. R.H.S. 1956, undoubtedly the most impressive and magnificent large white trumpet introduced up to date, a truly majestic flower up to 5 inches in diameter and of faultless form and balance, smooth flat perianth with immense broad segments, well balanced trumpet ideally flanged and frilled at the mouth. A perfect show-flower. \$ 30.00 each

Falaise (Double 4), a unique double, raised from Mary Copeland; the pollen parent must have been a Poeticus as the petals are of the purest white and the flower has the true Poeticus-scent. The centre is bright orange-red which makes a striking contrast against the rather long pure white inner petals. A lightly built flower well poised on a tall wiry stem, late. \$ 1.00 each

Fastnet (Large-Cupped 2b), a lovely flower having broad smooth rounded pure white perianth and a large saucer shaped crown of very pale yellow with a narrow margin of bright red. An ideal show-flower for classes in which red and orange is not predominant. \$ 1.25 each

Fireproof (Large-Cupped 2a), Highly Commended Wisley Trials 1959, neat medium sized early flower with bright golden perianth and vivid solid orange-red cup, a most valuable garden variety and suffers no fading or burning of the cup. Highly recommended as a garden variety. 80 cts each

Fleurimont (Large-Cupped 2a), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, a distinct and richly coloured flower having broad smooth clear yellow perianth of great substance and a beautifully frilled crown with vivid orange-red band. A wonderful flower with rich colour effect.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

- **Frigid** (Small-Cupped 3c), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1950, one of the very latest to bloom in May, broad smooth pointed perianth measuring about 4 inches with smallish fluted almost flat crown, the whole flower is purest icy-white throughout except for a most lovely vivid emerald-eye.
  - 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- **Galway** (Large-Cupped 2a), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1948, a magnificent tall strong-stemmed intense self golden flower, bordering on Trumpet proportions, broad smooth perianth, well flanged trumpet crown; it is a glorious garden plant owing to its texture, excellent for exhibition (see illustration page 45).
  - 60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- Glacier (White Trumpet 1c), a very large imposing white trumpet fully 5 inches across. The perianth segments are perfectly flat, very broad and overlapping and of great substance standing at right angles to the large bell mouthed trumpet which is nicely flanged and much frilled at mouth, the whole flower is icy-white throughout, very robust plant.

  \$ 9.00 each
- Glenshesk (White Trumpet 1c), A.M. R.H.S. 1950, a noble White Trumpet of great size, almost 5 inches in diameter and beautiful thick smooth waxy substance, well posed on a stout 18 inch. stem; the trumpet is faint primrose on first opening and soon passes to pure white. \$ 5.00 each
- Goldcourt (Yellow Trumpet 1a), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1947, a perfectly formed trumpet of good substance and beauty; smooth flat overlapping pointed segments and well-balanced not overwide trumpet of pure maximus gold throughout.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Golden Ducat (Double 4), F.C.C. R.H.S. and Haarlem, this sport of the well-known daffodil King Alfred is a fine full double variety, of which the larger segments are canary-yellow and the smaller segments interspersed between the larger, are aureolin yellow, outstanding for exhibition (see illustration page 48).

  \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.
- Golden Rapture (Yellow Trumpet 1a), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1959, a clear uniform golden yellow trumpet throughout, the magnificent formed large flower is almost 5 inches across, the broad perianth segments are beautifully smooth, much overlapping of lovely thick texture, the long trumpet is widely flanged and frilled at mouth. Tall robust plant and excellent show-flower. \$ 17.00 each
- Grape Fruit (Yellow Trumpet 1a), F.C.C. Haarlem, a handsome flower of great beauty and distinct colouring, large well-shaped trumpet with broad thick much overlapping perianth, a pale lemon throughout deepening to a very soft greenish lemon as it ages.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- Green Island (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S., a sensational flower of very large size and great substance, smooth rounded white segments of such immense width that they form an almost complete circle, well proportioned shallow bowl-shaped frilled cup, greenish white at the inside base, passing to white, which in turn passes to a band of clear cool greenish lemon at margin. \$ 2.00 each
- **Greeting** (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S., a very beautiful flower of most distinct character, quite exceptional quality of waxen substance, large widespread somewhat starry but smooth and even pure white perianth, rather small goblet shaped clear lemon-yellow crown. **75 cts** each; **\$ 7.50** per doz.
- Guardian (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. (g) Wisley Trials 1952, a magnificent shortnecked flower with very broad, smooth, flat pure white perianth, standing well back from the crown, which is almost of Trumpet dimensions neatly flanged at mouth and is pale primrose passing almost to white, strong grower.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- **High Life** (Large-Cupped 2b), a large striking flower with creamy-white perianth and a large expanding shallow peachy-apricot cup, nicely frilled at edge, a most fascinating flower.
  - 70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.
- **Hindustan** (White Trumpet 1c), a large imposing flower of the purest white throughout, the perianth segments of thick leathery substance are immensely broad, the outer three overlapping each other. The large trumpet is widely flanged and serrated at the mouth. \$4.75 each
- **Hopesay** (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S. 1951, a striking refined flower, measuring  $4\frac{3}{4}$  inch across, the perianth segments are pure white, very broad and overlapping, the large saucer shaped crown is pale sulphur-yellow with a broad sharply defined band of bright orange-red. Fine tall plant.
  - \$ 1.25 each
- Hunter's Moon (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. (e.g.) R.H.S., a lovely flower of unique colouring, being clear shining, cool greenish lemon-yellow, most intense at the outer edge of the beautifully flanged and serrated trumpet, a very decorative flower. \$ 1.00 each
- Irish Luck (Yellow Trumpet la), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, this is considered one of the best yellow trumpets ever raised, a very large flower of deep golden yellow throughout, faultless form with very broad much overlapping thick perianth spreading out at right angles to the perfectly proportioned neatly flanged and serrated trumpet. Tall robust plant and excellent show-flower. \$ 1.50 each

Jenny (Cyclamineus 6a), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1950, the gracefully reflexing perianth is pure white and the slender crown is pale primrose while if grown under glass, the whole flower passes to white which makes it extremely beautiful; stiff wiry stems, still scarce. \$ 2.50 each

Jezebel (Small-Cupped 3a), F.C.C. Haarlem 1957, an interesting flower of 'Barriitype', with broad smooth perianth of wonderful deep reddish-gold that has an almost metallic sheen and shallow deep brick-red crown; elicits astonished comments from visitors; should be cut as it opens to preserve its remarkable colour.

\$ 2.50 each

Kanchenjunga (White Trumpet 1c), A.M. R.H.S., an immense flower with the biggest and broadest perianth segments yet seen, forming an almost perfect circle and a magnificent widely flanged and serrated trumpet of palest lemon passing to white, perianth pure white, a noble flower of stately carriage.

75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Killaloe (Large-Cupped 2c), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1951, a most striking immense pure white flower of grand quality, very broad, flat, pointed perianth of fine substance, the large cup is widely expanded beautifully flanged and frilled at mouth, strong grower. 40 cts each; \$4.00 per doz.

Killynure (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), large, broad pure white perianth and bright

Galway

clear golden-yellow trumpet, a brilliant flower of sharp colour contrast. 70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

Kilmorack (Large-Cupped 2a), A. M.R.H.S. 1956, tall stemmed neatly formed flower of moderate size and splendid colouring, broad shining aureoline-gold perianth of fine quality and substance, rich cadmium orange-scarlet cup. Very vigorous with beautiful blue green foliage. \$ 1.50 each

Kilworth, see page 60.

Kingscourt (Yellow Trumpet 1a), F.C.C. A.M. R.H.S. 1947. Has been voted at the R.H.S. Daffodil show, the best Daffodil variety and the best 1a, ten years in succession, the only Daffodil ever to achieve this record. A large flower of faultless form of superb quality and uniform intense deep golden colour, flat velvet smooth perianth of immense breadth and noble perfectly balanced bell mouthed trumpet, strong stem, fine sturdy plant.

80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

Krakatoa (Large-Cupped 2a), F.C.C. R.H.S. and Haarlem, a large flower of superb quality and solid texture, much overlapping rich golden yellow perianth with widely expanded cup of bright tangerine-red. A flower of brilliant colouring and striking contrast.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

**Lapford** (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), A.M. R.H.S. 1954, broad rather rounded smooth white perianth with soft yellow trumpet, a beautiful early flowering Bicolor Trumpet of first class quality and texture, excellent show-flower with tall stem and short neck. \$ 1.50 each

Latifa (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. Haarlem 1950, large and well-overlapping pure white perianth and well-proportionated, saucer shaped crown of bright orange-red. A flower of brilliant colouring and striking contrast. \$ 7.50 each

Ludlow (Large-Cupped 2c), F.C.C. R.H.S., undoubtedly one of the finest varieties in this section yet raised, a perfect show-flower of moderate size and faultless form having broad flat perianth of solid texture, which stands at right angles to the well proportioned trumpet shaped crown, the flower is purest icy-white throughout, a very beautiful flower of perfect finish. 65 cts each; \$ 6.50 per doz.

Lunar Rainbow (Large-Cupped 2b), this is a very large flower with broad widespread slightly reflexed white perianth and a basin shaped crown which opens soft primrose but soon develops wonderful tints of faint rose-pink and almost grey that suggest mother-of-pearl, which does not fade. Strong grower.

\$ 1.25 each

- Manchu (Large-Cupped 2b), a well-built flower of great substance with perfectly rounded creamy-white perianth, short trumpet-shaped crown deeply flanged at mouth, opening rich creamy-yellow and developing in a deeper shade when flower ages.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- Masaka (Small-Cupped 3b), a very large flower in the small-cupped division measuring about 4 inches across, the broad overlapping rounded perianth is purest white of immense substance and quality with a flat crinkled crown of deep solid red, strong plant and early flowering. \$1.00 each
- Masked Light (Large-Cupped 2a), a flower of wonderful colouring, broad beautiful smooth flat perianth of great substance of deep golden yellow with a flush of orange in the petals. The large cup is deep glowing orange-red nicely serrated and slightly flanged at mouth.

  \$ 3.25 each
- Matapan (Small-Cupped 3b), a lovely quality flower of medium size with flat, very round, beautifully smooth, purest white perianth and a flat crown of intense crimson. Valuable as a show-flower on account of its earliness for a flower of this type. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.
- Metropolitan (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. Haarlem 1959, round smooth overlapping pure white perianth and large, flat widely expanding crown of bright orange, a lovely flower of contrasting colour and a show-flower of high quality. \$5.00 each
- Milanion (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. R.H.S. 1949, a large flower of very clear golden yellow, broad rather pointed smooth, perianth spreading out at right angles to the not too wide but most beautifully flanged trumpet; the flowers are short-necked and carried on tall stems. 60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- Misty Moon (Small-Cupped 3b), larger than most of this section, an exquisite flower having pure white perianth and large eye with grey-white centre and the outer half a halo of soft pale salmonorange.

  35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- Moonstruck (Yellow Trumpet 1a), F.C.C. A.M. R.H.S. 1951, the largest and most robust of the yellow Trumpet Section, an immense flower having broad pointed perianth of clear lemon primrose, standing at right angles to the noble flanged and serrated trumpet which is of a similar pale tone, but strikingly illuminated by the serrated brim being tipped with bright lemon. \$ 1.75 each
- Nearula (Small-Cupped 3b), a fine large flower of this type with broad overlapping smooth purest white perianth segments slightly pointed at the tips, the nicely frilled medium sized crown is almost intense cerise-red. Strong vigorous plant. \$ 1.25 each
- Ninth Lancer (Large-Cupped 2a), a very large flower of superb quality and solid texture, much overlapping deep yellow perianth and a beautifully proportioned deep orange-red cup. A splendid exhibition flower of long lasting qualities. \$ 3.00 each
- Northern Light (Large-Cupped 2b), truly a magnificent and striking flower, with broad much overlapping pure white perianth of lovely quality and substance and a large saucer shaped crown of solid bright glowing orange-red. An outstanding flower in every way. \$ 20.00 each
- Ormeau (Large-Cupped 2a), a splendid show-flower of high quality, broad smooth flat perianth without a crease standing at right angles to the perfectly proportionated crown which approaches trumpet measurements. The whole flower is of deep golden orange throughout, strong plant. \$ 1.00 each
- Parkmore (Large-Cupped 2c), A.M. R.H.S. 1947, a fine flower of solid texture and beautiful poise with broad smooth, flat, pure white perianth of great substance and neatly flanged trumpet crown of faintest lemon passing to white; short neck and very strong stem, which carries the flower well above the strong upright foliage.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Petsamo (White Trumpet Ic), A.M. R.H.S. 1950, a very fine flower, the perianth is immensely broad, the breadth of the outer segments which overlap each other being greater than their length. The trumpet is beautifully proportioned with a widely flanged and rolled mouth.

  \$ 1.00 each
- **Preamble** (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1949, a first early well-contrasted clean Bicolor of superb quality, opening with smooth flat pure white perianth and very rich bright chrome-yellow trumpet which has a little neat flange; as the flower ages the rich colour of the trumpet fades out a little becoming more lemon in tone but never goes white.

  \$ 1.00 each
- Principal (Yellow Trumpet 1a), F.C.C. R.H.S., one of the best Yellow Trumpets up to date, has a perfectly balanced self yellow trumpet of great substance, quality and smooth texture. Very broad flat circular perianth; trumpet beautifully finished with an evenly flanged mouth, flower well posed on a tall strong stem. Grand show-flower.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Red April (Large-Cupped 2b), the broad white overlapping perianth is of good substance and quality, the large bowl shaped cup is intense vivid red, a very striking large flower resembling Kilworth but has the great advantage of flowering much earlier. Tall strong plant. \$ 1.75 each
- Revelry (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. R.H.S. 1951, a flower of grand quality and excellent form with broad, flat soft yellow perianth of thick substance and lovely smooth texture; the crown is long, slightly expanded and of intense flaming orange-red. Tall, strong grower, first-class exhibition flower.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.



Fosteriana Red Emperor (Mad. Lefeber)





Peacock Tulips

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Kaufmanniana The First

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Tulipa pulchella violacea

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Kaufmanniana Stresa

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Kaufmanniana Elliott

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Kaufmanniana Johann Strauss

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Fosteriana Hybrids Mixed

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Double Narcissus Golden Ducat \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz. See page 44



Yellow Trumpet Unsurpassable \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 See page 54



White Trumpet Mount Hood \$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.00 per 100 See page 55



Pink Daffodil Mrs. R. O. Backhouse \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100 See page 51

- Roimond (Large-Cupped 2b), a really magnificent red and white flower with very broad rounded overlapping perianth of excellent substance and a large saucer shaped crown of brightest orange red, nicely frilled at the edge; this flower is sunproof and must be left on the plant to develop the colour in the crown which is quite greenish orange on opening.

  \$ 1.50 each
- Roseate Hues (Large-Cupped 2b), a large and very striking flower with ivory white rounded perianth of immense breadth and substance, the trumpet-shaped crown is of pale primrose with beautiful and distinct ruffled broad pink edge, an exquisite variety and fine show-flower. \$ 1.00 each
- **Rockall** (Small-Cupped 3b), A.M. R.H.S. 1959, broad, perfectly formed perianth of pure waxy white with somewhat pointed petals and a beautiful flaming red cup of a brilliancy never seen in any other flower, a variety of exceptional grace and colour. \$42.00 each
- **Rococo** (Large-Cupped 2b), F.C.C. Haarlem, a striking effective show-flower of solid texture and outstanding quality, the broad well-overlapped perianth segments are pure white, whilst the well-proportioned flat crown is soft yellow with a broad orange ribbon edge, very vigorous.

80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

- Rouge (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. (g) Wisley 1952, a striking and very distinct break in colouring, the widespread perianth is yellow overlaid pinkish buff while the expanded cup is brilliant brick-red, it invariably attracts much admiration at shows, early and free flowering. 35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- Royal Orange (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. Haarlem 1954, a most fascinated flower of immense size of pure white and red, the white perianth segments are broad, round and much overlapping; the remarkably large flat crown is of a most intense orange-red colour. An exceptional beautiful colour combination and a real sensation on the show table.

  \$ 8.50 each
- Royal Ransom (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. Haarlem 1955, very large flower of a showy and striking character, with broad, shovel-pointed, heavy textured segments of a soft buff colour, which turns to pinkish as flower ages; medium-sized orange-red crown.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.
- Salmon Trout, see under pink Daffodils page 51.
- Samite (White Trumpet 1c), F.C.C. (e) A.M. (e.g.) R.H.S., another recent introduction of superlative quality and exquisite self-ivory-white flower of most perfect form and balance and the very finest and smoothest thick velvety texture, tall vigorous plant.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Signal Light (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S. 1954, the broad rounded overlapping perianth is pure white and of great substance and quality, the very large saucer shaped crown is an inch and three quarters across, bright glowing orange-red with a slight frill. One of the most striking red and white flowers which is practically sunproof.

  \$ 4.00 each
- Silver Lining (Large-Cupped 2c), A.M. Haarlem 1948, a fine show-flower of most perfect symmetry and balance, with smooth pure white perianth of great substance and trumpet-shaped crown of pale creamy-white, which passes to white when flower ages.

  80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.
- Sincerity (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1940, broad flat, clean cut rounded pure white perianth of flawless smoothness and clear lemon trumpet with a most beautifully rolled-back brim, one of the most perfect show-flowers yet seen, faultlessly regular and perfect in form and finish. Late flowering.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Slieveboy (Yellow Trumpet 1a), a large self-coloured yellow trumpet of perfect form and balance and superb satin-smooth texture. Flowers are carried on stiff stems of good length well above the upright green foliage.

  \$ 6.50 each
- **Spellbinder** (Reversed Trumpet 1d), A.M. R.H.S. and Haarlem, a large flower of the most wonderful and entirely distinct clear luminous greeny sulphur-lemon, when fully developed the inside of the flanged trumpet passes almost to white, while the outside of the trumpet retains its colour and the serrated brim is tipped with sparkling lemon, most attractive and always much admired.
  - \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.
- Spitzbergen (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), A.M. R.H.S., a magnificent flower of majestic proportions having broad overlapping ivory-white perianth of great substance, large bold trumpet nicely flanged and well-rolled back at brim which opens pale primrose and gradually whitens with age, taking a considerably time to develop fully.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
- Stadium (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. (g) R.H.S., broad flat pure white perianth of immense size with bright yellow flat crown enormously expanding and heavily frilled at mouth, a flower of great substance and perfect carriage standing all weathers.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- St. Egwin (Large-Cupped 2a), F.C.C. (e) R.H.S., the perianth segments are broad and overlapping, slightly spoonshaped of the most perfect smooth texture and wonderful substance; the cup is short and beautifully proportioned. The whole flower is uniform clear soft yellow; very strong grower.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Sun Chariot (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. R.H.S. 1951, F.C.C. Haarlem 1956, a large and striking flower of enormous size, the broad flat rather pointed perianth is deep golden-yellow and the well proportioned goblet-shaped cup is solid glowing orange-red, sun-proof and very lasting.

70 cts each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

**Swansdown** (Double 4), A.M. Haarlem 1951, this beautiful double variety is quite distinct from any other, large milk-white flower of great substance with very broad circular overlapping outer segments and a double centre of white feathery looking petals, very attractive. \$ 1.75 each

**Tannhauser** (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. 1950, a magnificent large flower of splendid substance, broad overlapping deep yellow perianth with a large flat yellow crown widely margined with deep orangered. Most attractive show-flower, also very desirable for the garden, recommended.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

- **Teheran** (Large-Cupped 2a), a very striking flower of brilliant colouring, the very broad much overlapping round perianth is deepest golden yellow and of a great substance and the large almost flat saucer shaped crown is intense deep vivid red slightly frilled at the edge. This flower is sunproof. **75 cts** each
- Trousseau (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), F.C.C. (e) A.M. R.H.S. 1947, an exquisite Bicolor Trumpet of superb quality, perfect form, great substance and fine satin-like texture, very broad smooth flat pure white perianth and well proportioned straight neatly flanged trumpet which opens soft-yellow and passes gradually to a most lovely rich buff rosy-cream.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Truth (Large-Cupped 2c), F.C.C. (e) A.M. R.H.S. 1956, the very flat and smooth perianth stands at right angles to the beautifully formed and evenly flanged large trumpet-shaped crown, purest white throughout, a flower of faultless form and exceptional quality.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- Tudor King (Bicolor Trumpet 1b), a brilliantly contrasted bicolor trumpet of very high quality with broad, flat, very smooth pure white perianth of great substance and nicely proportionated long trumpet of deep lemon yellow widely flanged and serrated at the mouth, a great addition to this section.

  \$ 8.50 each
- Tudor Minstrel (Large-Cupped 2b), A.M. R.H.S. 1950. Very symmetrical large flower, broad overlapping pure white perianth of thick waxy substance and a beautiful widely expanded crown of solid orange-scarlet, a show-flower of the highest quality for its fine proportions and perfect carriage.
- Tulyar (Small-Cupped 3b), A.M. R.H.S. 1958, an almost perfect flower with beautifully smooth snow-white perianth very round and perfectly flat. The eye is almost flat of deep intense red. Fine show-flower. \$ 2.80 each
- Tuskar Light (Large-Cupped 2b), very large flower with a broad, flat pure white perianth of splendid substance and a very large, flat pale citron crown with a broad margin of clear bright red, a most telling exhibition-flower.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Ulster Prince (Yellow Trumpet 1a), A.M. Wisley Trials 1959, a large rich self coloured golden trumpet of first class quality and substance, broad pointed smooth perianth and well proportionated flanged trumpet; remarkably durable flower on a strong stem and short neck. \$ 1.00 each
- Vigil (White Trumpet 1c), A.M. R.H.S. 1956, a really superb very large pure icy-white trumpet of fine parchment-like texture, having a broad sharp pointed perianth and gracefully proportionated well-flanged trumpet. Strong grower with beautiful blue-green foliage. \$6.25 each
- Virtue (Large-Cupped 2a), A.M. R.H.S. 1950, a flower of the firmest texture and beautiful self clear brilliant golden yellow, being of faultless symmetry and quality; broad, perfectly smooth, flat perianth of model form standing at right angles to the straight sided nicely flanged and serrated trumpet, excellent exhibition-flower. \$ 1.00 each
- Wexford (Yellow Trumpet 1a), a medium sized flower of very fine smooth quality of a uniform clear soft golden yellow colour throughout, the perianth segments are beautiful smooth and flat, slightly shovel-pointed, standing at right angles to the trumpet, which is nicely expanded and frilled at the mouth. This flower is a trumpet but very near the border line, strong robust plant.

  \$ 1.25 each
- White Lion (Double 4), F.C.C. Haarlem, A.M. Wisley 1958, this very striking novelty is entirely distinct from any other producing a large waxy-white flower of fine substance, very broad overlapping outer segments, with a centre of double petals slightly intermingled with soft yellow, very strong plant.

25 cts each; \$ 2.75 per doz.

- White Tartar (White Trumpet 1c), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, a superb flower of faultless form, balance and finish, purest white throughout, immensely broad smooth widely overlapping white perianth standing at right angles to the perfectly proportioned trumpet, which has a wide evenly rolled flange short neck and very strong stem.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Winnipeg (Large-Cupped 2a), a fine bold flower with broad overlapping rich yellow perianth of good substance and a large expanding saucer-shaped crown of deep yellow broadly banded with bright orange-red. \$ 1.25 each
- Yellow Idol (Yellow Trumpet 1a), a magnificent large flower almost five inches across with very broad flat shovel pointed segments of grand quality and substance. The long trumpet is slightly bell-mouthed and nicely serrated at the edge, the whole flower is of a uniform medium yellow. Tall strong robust plant.

  \$ 1.00 each
- Zero (Large-Cupped 2c), one of the finest White Daffodils raised by Mr. Guy L. Wilson, a glorious flower measuring 5½ inches in diameter, very large broad flat widespread perianth, the beautiful vase-shaped crown has a slightly expanding bell-mouth, pure icy-white throughout with lovely deep green perianth tube, tall strong stem and shortnecked, strong grower. \$ 1.75 each

# **New Pink Daffodils**

There is no official section of these Pink Daffodils registered in the R.H.S. classification, but their beauty and popularity seem to ask that they should be offered in a special group to assist Customers to make their selection. It should be remembered that most varieties of Pink Daffodils do not show their colour until the flower is fully developed.

- **Debutante** (2b), A.M. R.H.S. 1959, a really remarkable flower with very broad rounded pure white perianth of grand substance and quality, the large cup of uniform bright coral pink is nicely expanded and beautifully frilled at mouth. This flower has the best pink introduced up to date; good plant and fast increaser. \$ 63.00 each
- **EASTER BONNET** (2b), a distinct flower of exceptional charm and refinement, broad overlapping white perianth and beautifully finished creamy-white trumpet with a heavily frilled broad salmonpink edge. A variety of rich appearance and extremely fine show-flower. \$ 6.00 each
- Lady Bird (2b), A.M. Haarlem, a handsome flower, well-formed white perianth, with trumpet-shaped cup of lovely apricot-pink throughout, one of the jewels of this section. 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Louise de Coligny (2b), A.M. Haarlem, a very distinct flower with a delicious fragrance, slightly reflexing pure white perianth and a charming trumpet-shaped crown of apricot-pink.
- 30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.

  Maiden's Blush (2b), pure white overlapping perianth of splendid form and texture, long trumpet-
- Maiden's Blush (2b), pure white overlapping perianth of splendid form and texture, long trumpershaped crown flanged at brim of a soft blush pink slightly deeper at margin.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE (THE PINK DAFFODIL) (2b), one of the choicest that may be seen in the garden, a variety of quite unique colouring, large trumpet shaped crown of a full shell-pink shaded deep pink at brim, perianth ivory-white and slightly reflexed (see illustration page 48).

  \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Pink Fancy (2b), A.M. Haarlem, a splendid free flowering variety with overlapping white perianth and apricot cup broadly margined soft pink very valuable for cutting and for the garden very free increaser. \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

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- Pink Isle (2b), P.C. R.H.S. 1954, a fine 'pink' flower of medium size and first class quality with broad smooth pure white perianth and a perfectly proportioned cup of a most charming shade of pink, very vigorous and free-flowering. \$ 1.60 each
- PINK RIM (2b), A.M. Haarlem, this variety has a solid white well-formed perianth, cup soft cream with a distinct pink rim, a valuable introduction and good garden plant.

  \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Rosario (2b), a most charming flower of nearly trumpet character and measurements, having broad smooth pure white perianth, the trumpet-shaped crown which is gracefully flanged and frilled is of very pale soft primrose shell-pink, in good seasons it becomes almost entirely pink. \$ 1.00 each
- Rose Caprice (2b), A.M. R.H.S. 1955, a great addition to the pink section with very broad, flat and rounded, pure white perianth of waxy texture and large rather expanding crown of clear pink slightly paler towards the base, which is cool-green. A really lovely show-flower. \$ 10.00 each
- Rose of Tralee (2b), A.M. Haarlem 1950, this remarkable flower is of beautiful form and quality, having pure white perianth pointed at the tips, long nicely flanged crown of rosy apricot-pink right down to the base passing off white before the flower dies.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
- Rosy Sunrise (2b), F.C.C. Haarlem, this lovely variety with its trumpet-shaped cup can be described as one of the most beautiful of the pink varieties, perianth is of a primrose white, while its cup is creamy yellow with a heavily frilled very delicate apricot-rose edge. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- Salmon Trout (2b), F.C.C. (e) A.M. R.H.S. 1952. Undoubtedly one of the finest pink Daffodils yet raised, a perfect show-flower of moderate size and faultless form, having broad purest white flat perianth of solid texture which stands at right angles to the well-proportioned trumpet-shaped-vivid pink crown, a variety of unequalled beauty. \$11.00 each
- Siam (2b), pure white perianth, well-formed and of good substance, wide expanding frilled cup of an apricot tint changing into soft pink, a most attractive and striking fragrant flower, carried on a strong stem.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
- **TOSCANINI** (2b), a beautiful variety of great distinction and noble form, broad pure white, much overlapping perianth of splendid substance, the ivory-white crown with a broad apricot-pink band gives the nicely proportioned flowers a very distinguished appearance a very fine garden variety. \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Wild Rose (2b), P.C. R.H.S. 1946, a real advance in pink colouring as the cup is quite definite rosypink to the base, the colour being in the main retained till the flower dies. One of the pinkest cups yet raised, not a large flower but of pleasing form.

  80 cts each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

## Collections of Daffodils and Narcissi

**Collections for the garden** are made up from our named varieties and include selections from the most important Divisions, all of proven merit and will be a valuable addition to the garden. Purchasers may rely upon getting extremely good value.

25 E	Bulbs,	5	each	of	5	varieties.	our	selection									\$	4.5	0
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**Collections for bowls, pots and early forcing.** Customers may rely upon getting the right varieties, we take particular care to select suitable sorts of great beauty for indoor culture.

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### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF DAFFODILS FOR EXHIBITION

In these collections we include the most reliable varieties from the most important Divisions which are offered in three different values, in each case at a good saving. We feel sure that intending purchasers will be very pleased with our selections, they are of splendid value.

36 Bulbs, 3 each of 12 Exhibition varieties . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$ 12.00, \$ 16.00 or \$ 20.00

## De Jager's Superior Mixtures of Daffodils

**Trumpet Daffodils Mixed For Naturalizing.** This mixture is carefully made up from named varieties and includes Yellow, Bicolor and White Trumpets in proper proportions so as to give a marvellous display in borders, naturalized or grown for cutting.

All first size flowering bulbs. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100; \$ 145.00 per 1000

Large and Small-Cupped Narcissi Mixed. A mixture which includes a varied selection of varieties of the Narcissi Divisions, creating a striking effect.

All first flowering bulbs. \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100; \$ 125.00 per 1000

**Red-Cupped Narcissi Mixed.** An extremely beautiful and striking mixture of brightly coloured red-cupped or red-crowned varieties of the Poeticus, Large- and Small-Cupped section, giving a selection of a large number of different varieties.

All first size flowering bulbs. \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100; \$ 135.00 per 1000

Narcissi and Daffodils All Kinds Mixed for Naturalizing. We offer a fine mixture of Narcissi and Daffodils, especially made up from named varieties which are particularly suitable for naturalizing and large plantings in clumps in your shrubbery border, in woodlands, herbaceous borders, orchards, in grass and for liberal plantings for cutting.

All first size flowering bulbs. \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100; \$ 135.00 per 1000

### AWARDS TO MERITORIOUS VARIETIES OF DAFFODILS AND NARCISSI

Meritorious varieties of Daffodils and Narcissi are qualified with various awards by the Daffodil Committees of the Royal Horticultural Society of London, of the Royal Bulb Growers' Society of Haarlem, Holland and the Midland Daffodil Society.

The awards given at the R.H.S.:

F.C.C. - First Class Certificate

A.M. – Award of Merit

P.C. - Preliminary Commendation

The awards given at Haarlem:

F.C.C. - First Class Certificate

A.M. – Award of Merit

F.C.E.F.A. - First Class Early Forcing Award

F.C.F.A. - First Class Forcing Award

E.F.A. – Early Forcing Award F.A. – Forcing Award

T.G.A. - Trial Garden Award

The fact for which the award was qualified:

(e) – as a show-flower

(c) - as a variety for cutting

(p) – as a variety for cultivation in pots, pans or bowls

(f) - as a market variety for forcing

(m) - as a market variety for cutting from the open

(g) - as a variety for garden decoration
(r) - as a variety for the rock-garden

(a) - as a variety for the alpine house



Yellow Trumpet Golden Harvest

# Division I - Trumpet Narcissi

Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; Trumpet or Corona as long as, or longer than the perianth segments.

### **DIVISION IA - YELLOW TRUMPETS**

### Yellow and sulphur-coloured Trumpet Narcissi

Burgemeester Gouverneur (22), F.C.C. Haarlem, a very large and beautiful flower, golden yellow throughout, perianth flat and broadly overlapping, while the large smooth trumpet is slightly rolled back at rim, a noble Daffodil which we especially recommend. \$ 3.25 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100

Dutch Master (20), A.M. (p) R.H.S. 1948, a rich golden-yellow trumpet of a remarkable refined form, broad overlapping perianth with a deeply serrated large trumpet, a vigorous grower, excellent forcer and fine show-flower. \$ 3.30 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100

GARRON (24), A.M. (e.g.) R.H.S. and Haarlem 1948, a magnificent refined flower of unusual quality and size, has a great long pointed and slightly waved perianth of smoothest velvety texture and thick substance, trumpet nicely serrated of beautiful deep clear primrose or soft full self lemon, enormously vigourous and grand garden plant. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Golden Goddess (20), F.C.C. Haarlem 1951, beautiful uniform deep golden yellow, a perfectly balanced new introduction of beautiful finish and quality well-posed on a strong stem, excellent show-flower, very long lasting.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Golden Harvest (22), F.C.C. E.F.A. Haarlem, this brilliant Daffodil of uniform rich golden yellow with heavily serrated trumpet and lovely form, has now become one of the most popular varieties in cultivation, admired for its strong texture and its wealth of flowers either forced in pots or planted in the garden, enormous flowers and one of the first to bloom. \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100

Gold Medal (22), F.C.C. Haarlem 1944, a most striking deep golden yellow Trumpet of excellent form and substance, broad overlapping rounded perianth and a well-balanced not over-wide nicely serrated and flanged trumpet. Splendid for garden- and pot-culture.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

**Joseph McLeod** (24), F.C.C. Haarlem 1956, F.C.C. Wisley 1959, a refined new Daffodil of a self-coloured golden yellow, perfectly formed well-overlapping perianth standing at right angles to the well-balanced trumpet, which is deeply frilled at mouth, very free flowering.

\$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

J. S. Bach (22), a very close competitor if not an equal to 'Flower Carpet', a newer introduction of which the Dutch Growers have great expectations. The colour is uniform primrose-yellow strong grower of very free flowering habit, good forcer and fine garden variety.

**\$ 3.05** per doz.; **\$ 21.00** per 100

- King Alfred (24), F.C.C. R.H.S. F.A. Haarlem, this remarkably beautiful variety is destined to remain at the head of its class for some time to come yet; its rich colour of uniform deep golden yellow is outstanding; the large gigantic trumpet is elegantly frilled at mouth and has a broad massive perianth, is of refined finish and of great substance, hence its lasting qualities both outdoors or when cut. One of the earliest to bloom, it is easily forced, very dependable. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100
- Magnificence (20), F.C.C. (g.c.) R.H.S. F.C.E.F.A., the first yellow trumpet out, a very large deep golden yellow flower, gracefully waved perianth with deeply serrated trumpet, opens much before the well-known Golden Spur, which variety we have now superseded. \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- Moonrise (19), F.C.C. Haarlem 1948, a refined Daffodil of uniform lemon yellow throughout with broad overlapping perianth, the elegantly shaped trumpet is slightly expanding at mouth with a finely serrated flange. A strong garden variety and excellent show-flower. 60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- MULATTO (20), A.M. F.A. Haarlem, a remarkable flower of unique and striking colour, smooth flat perianth of sulphur yellow and a large expanded sulphur-coloured trumpet, the inside of which shades to almost white deep sulphur frilling at margin, vigorous grower. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Peking (21), A.M. Haarlem 1947, a very large lemon coloured trumpet of splendid quality and grand substance with somewhat lighter broad pointed, smooth perianth. A very vigorous garden variety of long lasting qualities.
   35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- Rembrandt (19), A.M. Haarlem, A.M. Wisley 1959, a very early large golden-yellow trumpet of lovely carriage, petals are flat, broad and somewhat pointed and has a huge expanded trumpet which is nicely flanged at mouth, a vigorous grower, excellent for pots and a showy decorative garden variety.

  \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- UNSURPASSABLE (23), F.C.C. Haarlem, one of the most impressive and largest yellow trumpet daffodils in cultivation, producing colossal flowers of deepest golden yellow throughout and noble proportions, a fine show-flower, good forcer and a magnificent variety for the garden (see illustration page 48).

  \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

#### **DIVISION IB-BICOLOR TRUMPETS**

#### White or Whitish Perianth with Yellow, Lemon or Pale Primrose Trumpet

- Celebrity (17), soft creamy-white good overlapping perianth with large soft yellow trumpet, a variety of very free flowering habit and excellent forcer. \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- Foresight (16), A.M. R.H.S. 1945, a flower of absolutely first-class form and good quality with very broad, flat well overlapping milky-white perianth and perfectly proportioned neatly flanged golden trumpet. Vigorous and very free-flowering, early.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Magnet (16), an interesting bold flower, pale cream perianth, colour of the deep golden-yellow trumpet passes into the perianth. \$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.00 per 100
- Music Hall (18), A.M. F.A. Haarlem, a handsome early Bicolor of good form, producing a magnificent large well proportioned flower with creamy white perianth and golden yellow nicely flanged trumpet.

  \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- Oklahoma (18), A.M. Haarlem 1948, an exquisite Bicolor Trumpet of superb quality and perfect form, very broad smooth flat pure white perianth and large deep golden yellow trumpet, a very vigorous grower of unusual substance.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- President Lebrun (18), A.M. Haarlem, a noble flower with large flat much overlapping white perianth and a creamy-yellow trumpet, very solid flower, recommended for the garden and late forcing.

  \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- QUEEN OF BICOLORS (18), one of the best garden varieties, doing justice to its name as one of the loveliest Bicolors, pure white overlapping perianth with canary-yellow trumpet of good form and proportions, a very vigorous grower. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Straight (19), A.M. (g.) Haarlem 1956, a very clean coloured bicolor of superb quality and faultless form, opening with smooth pure white perianth standing at right angles to the perfectly proportionated bright lemon-yellow trumpet. A very vigorous plant.

  35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- World's Favourite (24), F.C.C. Haarlem, an exquisite Bicolor of superb quality, broad overlapping pure white perianth and soft yellow trumpet elegantly rolled back at mouth. A very robust plant with very large flowers held on strong stems, recommended for the garden.

\$ 3.25 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100

#### DIVISION IC - WHITE TRUMPETS

### White or Whitish Perianth with White or nearly White Trumpet

- Angel's Wings (18), A.M. Haarlem 1947, beautiful silvery-white throughout, a large flower of perfect form, splendid carriage and stiff substance, very broad overlapping perianth with a straight trumpet, **\$ 3.05** per doz.; **\$ 21.00** per 100 gently serrated at mouth, vigorous grower, early flowering.
- Beersheba (18), F.C.C. (e.c.) R.H.S., undoubtedly one of the most popular white Daffodils at present, a distinct flower of the purest white throughout, perfect flower of beautiful proportions, splendid substance and grows a vigorous plant with lovely green foliage, early flowering, voted at the R.H.S. **\$ 2.90** per doz.; **\$ 20.00** per 100 one of the best varieties for forcing in the past twelve years.
- MOUNT HOOD (20), F.C.C. (g) R.H.S. 1955, a novelty of great refinement, large pure white flowers with broad smooth perianth segments of great substance, the long pale, creamy white well-proportioned trumpet nicely rolled back at mouth soon passes to pure white, tall grower for midseason \$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.00 per 100 flowering, fine for pots (see illustration page 48).
- Mrs. E. H. Krelage (20), F.C.C. (g) Haarlem, snowy-white perianth, its trumpet opens to a soft primrose and develops to ivory white, beautifully recurving at brim, vigorous grower, flowers are of **\$ 2.75** per doz.; **\$ 19.00** per 100 great substance, recommended for the garden.

# Division II - Large-Cupped Narcissi

(Comprising the former Incomparabilis and large crowned Leedsii) Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; Cup or Corona more than one-third, but less than equal to the length of the perianth segments.

### DIVISION IIA - LARGE-CUPPED

### Yellow, Lemon and Pale Primrose Perianth with yellow, pink or red-stained cups

- Adamant (19), F.C.C. (g) R.H.S. 1953, deep saffron-yellow smooth perianth of perfect form with a rich medium-sized orange crown frilled at margin, a flower of wonderful quality and substance, \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 well poised on a strong stem, early flowering.
- Aranjuez (19), A.M. (e) R.H.S. F.C.C. Haarlem, a particular fine flower for exhibition because of its magnificent form and posture; broad even smooth clear yellow overlapping perianth of great substance with an enchanting shallow expanded crown, widely margined with deep orange-red \$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 16.50 per 100 strong grower for mid-season.
- Bahram (20), F.C.C. (e) R.H.S. and Haarlem, in our opinion one of the finest yellow-red flowers up to date, flowers are of large size and perfect form, shortnecked flowers having broad smooth widespread, rich clear yellow perianth and perfectly proportioned rather shallow intense vivid deep \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100 orange-red crown, finely frilled at edge.

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- Bermuda (20), F.C.C. Haarlem, very large overlapping and smooth soft yellow perianth and a large spreading crown of clear orange, an immense flower of fine form and substance, early flowering. \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Birma (20), a very striking variety of great substance and brilliant colouring, well overlapping sulphur yellow perianth and neat, vivid orange-scarlet cup. A perfect flower of great durability, strong and **\$ 2.35** per doz.; **\$ 16.00** per 100 vigorous grower, highly recommended.
- CARBINEER (18), F.C.C. A.M. (e.m.g.) R.H.S., a beautiful flower of splendid carriage and great substance, having broad flat golden-yellow perianth standing at right angles to the large bright orange-red cup, a fine flower, which holds the second place for the last five years as a variety for \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100 cutting, excellent for forcing (see illustration page 57).
- CARLTON (18), F.C.C. (g) A.M. R.H.S., the immense flower has a broad perianth and large gracefully frilled crown, colour soft clear yellow throughout, much recommended for forcing in bowls or **\$ 2.20** per doz.; **\$ 15.00** per 100
- Cavaliero (17), A.M. Haarlem, a flower of vivid colouring with broad, flat, rich yellow perianth standing at right angles to the large bright red cup; good forcer. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- Crescendo (18), A.M. (g) R.H.S., a striking flower of the highest quality with beautifully smooth clear yellow rounded perianth of good substance, straight, deep yellow crown, very broadly margined orange-scarlet. A very lasting flower either on the plant or when cut, good for pots.

\$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100



Dunkeld

**Delibes** (23), A.M. Haarlem 1950, a striking flower of high quality, large overlapping deep golden yellow perianth of beautiful rounded form with immense, broad, flat expanding cup of intense orange-red, a fine show-flower and excellent forcer.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

**Dunkeld** (19), a magnificent well-formed flower having broad smooth circular clear yellow perianth of fine substance and shallow expanded vivid orange-scarlet crown; immensely vigorous and free flowering excellent for forcing.

**\$ 2.45** per doz.; **\$ 16.50** per 100

FORTUNE (20), F.C.C. (e.g.c.) R.H.S. F.C.F.A. Haarlem, this variety is generally recognized as the best Daffodil of its type that has yet been produced since the last years. It has a beautiful colour of deep lemon-yellow and a splendid flat overlapping perianth with a very large and long bold cup of coppery red-orange, is of good substance, a good grower and a free increaser, in fact it has every good point that one could wish for. Early flowering

**\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.00** per 100

Garland (20), F.C.C. Haarlem, a splendid large shallow crowned flower, the clear yellow perianth is of smooth waxen texture, the three outer petals are ac-

tually broader than their length and overlap each other, large expanded shallow crown of dark rich orange shading to gold in the centre, a most striking exhibition variety.

35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.

Golden Torch (19), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1949, stands out as one of the finest rich golden-yellow garden plants of a bold and pleasing habit, the perfectly formed and well proportionated flowers are nicely posed on tall strong stems, also an excellent show-flower.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Golden Triumphator (19), F.C.C. Haarlem 1955, a uniform deep golden-yellow new introduction of faultless form, thick overlapping perianth with a large spreading crown. A fine exhibition-flower of noble form and perfection.
40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Indian Summer (19), A.M. Haarlem 1948, this variety has a broad very smooth perianth of great substance, a very deep intense golden yellow, while the nicely proportioned rather shallow cup is deep orange-scarlet; tall stem.
40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Jeanne Desor (16), much overlapping broad rounded perianth of primrose yellow with nicely fringed saffron yellow crown, a variety of splendid substance and durability and of a free flowering habit.

\$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100

Mary Roozen (18), F.C.C. Haarlem 1949, large and flat well-overlapping deep yellow perianth of great substance, the large and beautifully frilled crown is deepest glowing orange throughout, a very refined flower of excellent quality. \$2.45 per doz.; \$16.50 per 100

Missouri (18), A.M. Haarlem 1949, a first-class tall stemmed neatly formed flower of moderate size and splendid rich colouring, broad shining golden perianth of fine quality and substance and rich scarlet-orange cup which does not burn in the sun. Strong and healthy garden plant.

\$ 1.00 each

Narvik (19), A.M. R.H.S. and Haarlem 1950, an outstanding and superb red and yellow of great brilliancy, perfect alike in form, quality, balance and proportion, broad clear golden yellow perianth with frilled goblet-shaped cup of deep intense orange-crimson; tall, strong grower, very fine for exhibition.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

**Porthilly** (16), F.C.C. (e) A.M. (g.m.) R.H.S., very fine large flower with broad beautifully shaped clear yellow perianth and well proportioned open frilled cup of intensely vivid deep solid orange-red. In our opinion one of the finest large-cupped. \$2.75 per doz.; \$19.00 per 100

Ramillies (19), A.M. Haarlem, a noble flower of medium size, but of the very highest quality, much overlapping and flat clear golden-yellow perianth, the expanding crown is deep yellow with a distinctly marked ribbon edge of deep scarlet, of lasting quality. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100



Large-Cupped IIb Duke of Windsor \$ 2.65 per doz.; \$ 18.00 per 100 See page 60



Large-Cupped IIb Kilworth \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 See page 60



Large-Cupped IIa Carbineer \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100 See page 55



Large-Cupped IIb Criterion \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100 See page 59



Large-Cupped IIb Manco \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 See page 60



Large-Cupped IIa Red Goblet \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 20.50 per 100 See page 59



Large-Cupped IIa Sidney Torch 45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz. See page 59



Double Narcissus Mary Copeland \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100 See page 63

- Red Goblet (19), A.M. (e.g.) R.H.S., a pretty distinct flower, broad rounded deep golden perianth with a faint flush of pinky-buff radiating from the base of petals, solid orange-red cup of unusual shape (see illustration page 58). \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 20.50 per 100
- Redmarley (16), A.M. Haarlem, slightly pointed yellow perianth, the large and heavily fringed trumpet-shaped crown is intense orange-red throughout, attractive. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Royal Crown (18), very large flower of distinct character with broad sulphur-white perianth and a beautifully, heavily fringed and spreading crown of soft apricot, an ideal garden plant lasting long in perfect condition. \$2.35 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100
- Royal Mail (18), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, a fine vigorous variety of recent introduction, broad smooth overlapping perianth of a rich golden-yellow, large vivid orange-red crown frilled at mouth.
  - **\$ 2.45** per doz.; **\$ 16.50** per 100
- Rustom Pasha (18), F.C.C. (g) R.H.S. 1954, no other variety of this section enjoys such world-wide admiration as this one, with its large striking flowers of gorgeous colour, widespread pointed clear deep golden perianth, cup opens dull orange and develops to vivid tangerine scarlet, one of the very best for growing in pots when it comes with splendid colour and a first class variety for garden decoration because of its sun-proof colour, excellent for forcing. \$2.90 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100
- Scarlet Elegance (16), F.A. Haarlem, one of the first to bloom in the garden and is noted for its deeply coloured scarlet-crown, perianth deep yellow; very fine for cutting. Can be forced after January 15th, mid-season flowering. \$2.45 per doz.; \$16.50 per 100
- Scarletta (20), a flower of very vivid colouring and splendid carriage, with broad, flat, rich yellow perianth, standing at right angles to the large, bright orange-red cup. A tall and strong growing garden variety.

  \$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- Sidney Torch (17), A.M. Haarlem 1951, deep golden yellow perianth, very broad flat yellow crown widely margined with deep orange-red, a charming and distinct flower and in our opinion an improved Aranjuez (see illustration page 58).

  45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.
- Tinker (19), A.M. Haarlem, an early flower of great beauty and brilliant colouring, broad pointed deep golden yellow perianth with rather long-goblet-shaped vividly brilliant orange-scarlet cup, strong and vigorous grower, early. \$ 2.60 per doz.; \$ 18.00 per 100
- Walt Disney (19), A.M. Haarlem, a very remarkable flower on account of its high quality and refinement, broadly overlapping star shaped deep golden-yellow perianth and a well proportioned solid orange cup, a splendid exhibition flower. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100
- Yankee Clipper (20), A.M. (g) R.H.S. 1959, the broad, smooth overlapping perianth is of a soft yellow and the large frilled cup is intense vivid orange-red. A magnificent tall growing garden variety and excellent forcer. \$ 3.25 per doz.; \$ 22.50 per 100
- YELLOW SUN (17), F.C.C. E.F.A. Haarlem 1949, uniform golden yellow throughout, an immense flower of perfect form, well overlapping pointed petals, large trumpet shaped cup, nicely frilled at mouth, producing a wealth of flowers. \$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.00 per 100

### DIVISION IIB - LARGE-CUPPED

### White or Whitish with yellow, pink or red-stained cups

- Beirut (18), a fine large flower with very round ivory-white perianth of thick substance, a large saucer-shaped yellow crown heavily banded with bright red. 35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- Bizerta (18), A.M. R.H.S. 1947, and Haarlem 1949, a show flower similar to Polindra but of unusual and distinct colouring, pure white thick perianth, cup rich apricot chrome with slightly paler frill at mouth, flower has great lasting qualities.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- BROOKVILLE (17), a very large and substantial flower with broad, flat well overlapping white perianth and completely heavy-ruffled lemon cup, a garden variety of great merit for its strong constitution and long lasting qualities. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Brunswick (18), F.C.C. (e.g.) R.H.S., a very early variety, producing a very tall flower of perfect form, has a beautifully modelled flat clean-cut white perianth of very firm texture, the perfectly balanced crown is just like a short nicely flanged and frilled trumpet, icy-white in the base and gradually shading up to lemon at the brim, excellent for forcing. \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- Coverack Perfection (19), A.M. R.H.S., a unique flower of outstanding charm, broad overlapping rather pointed white perianth, large wide shallow saucer crown, edged and flushed pale gold and salmon, has a faint tinge of green behind the anthers, very tall and most charming show-flower.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- **CRITERION** (17), A.M. Haarlem, beautiful smooth white perianth of excellent form, the large expanded yellow crown has a narrow but very distinct edge of bright orange, tall and sturdy grower medium late; an excellent show-flower (see illustration page 57). \$2.50 per doz.; \$17.00 per 100

- **Deanna Durbin** (17), A.M. Haarlem, a magnificent flower of fine form and carriage, pure white perianth with orange crown and lovely dark green upright foliage, particularly handsome variety when grown in pots, very free flowering, recommended. \$2.45 per doz.; \$16.50 per 100
- **Dick Wellband** (16), a large pure white perianth with a bold expanded crown of brilliant flame-orange, one of the good merits is that its crown does not fade in the sun but rather intensifies as the flower ages, a strong late flowering variety. \$ 2.65 per doz.; \$ 18.00 per 100
- **DUKE OF WINDSOR** (18), F.C.C. Haarlem, one of the choicest John Evelyn seedlings, thick pure white overlapping segments with a broad flat expanding cup of lovely apricot-orange, beautifully ruffled, becoming a lovely pale yellow as the flower ages, a charming garden plant (see illustration page 57).

  \$ 2.65 per doz.; \$ 18.00 per 100
- Eddy Canzony (20), A.M. Haarlem 1952, broad even smooth pure white perianth of great substance with a flat soft yellow crown widely margined orange. A garden variety and show-flower of great beauty.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Fermoy (18), F.C.C. A.M. (e), a magnificent flower of great size and fine quality with very large pure white perianth and well proportioned beautifully bowl-shaped crown, bright orange-red at the mouth shading to gold in the base. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Flamenco (17), F.C.C. (g) R.H.S., an exquisite flower with broad creamy white perianth and expanded deep seville-orange crown on a strong stem, a good quality of this flower is that the crown does not fade in sunshine, one of the five best varieties for cutting. \$2.45 per doz.; \$16.50 per 100
- FLOWER RECORD (18), E.F.A. Haarlem, a fine variety of recent introduction, a bold flower with very large pure white perianth and a large expanding crown of orange with bright orange at margin, named 'Flower Record' because of its very free flowering habit, one of the best for forcing, recommended.

  \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- **Glorification** (19), A.M. Haarlem, a very attractive flower of brilliant colour with well-formed flat perianth of the purest white and a large saucer shaped, clear yellow crown with a broad ribbon edge of soft orange, tall and strong grower and excellent show-flower. \$ 2.55 per doz. \$ 17.50 per 100
- John Evelyn (18), A.M. (e) R.H.S. and F.C.C. Haarlem, producing very large and beautiful flowers, solid creamy-white perianth, large cup and well open at mouth with double frilling at margin of striking apricot-orange colour, excellent. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- Kilmorna (17), A.M. R.H.S., a large flower, after the style of Brunswick, but flowering later. Broad rounded flat pure white perianth of good substance and a nicely proportioned cup of palest primrose with a distinctly deeper coloured frill at mouth.

  35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- **Kilworth** (19), F.C.C. (e.g.) R.H.S., an outstanding variety, large flower with broadly overlapping white perianth and perfectly proportioned bowl-shaped crown of intense dark orange-red with a touch of dark green in the eye, one of the best varieties in the red and white class, vigorous grower; sunproof (see illustration page 57).

  \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- **Leeuwenhorst** (18), A.M. Haarlem, a beautiful large flower, creamy white fine overlapping perianth with a lemon-yellow crown prettily edged orange-red, very free flowering and strong grower.
- \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100 Lemon Cup (17), pure white perianth extremely broad and flat, large expanding lemon crown, heavily frilled at rim, a flower of unusually good substance and very free flowering.
- \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 Majarda (14), strong and broad creamy-white perianth of splendid substance with large flat orange yellow crown, a very solid flower of heavy texture and vigorous garden variety, of free flowering habit.
- \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 Manco (18), solid ivory-white perianth with large showy deep golden yellow expanding cup with broad orange ruffles, a grand flower of excellent quality and a fine plant for all weather conditions (see illustration page 58).

  \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Marshal Tsjoekof (20), a large orange and white flower, snow-white perianth and a broad smooth widely expanded crown of pale apricot-orange with a prettily frilled edge of intense orange, an exquisite garden and show-flower, one of the best for pot-culture. \$2.30 per doz.; \$15.50 per 100
- Mata Hari (20), can best be described as an improved John Evelyn, but much more refined in quality, fine overlapping white perianth and a pronounced soft orange crown, excellent for forcing as well as an outstanding garden variety, early flowering. \$2.35 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100
- Mount Tacoma (20), A.M. Haarlem, very large star-shaped creamy-white perianth, wide expanding soft primrose-yellow crown, slightly deeper at margin, somewhat frilled at the edge, excellent cut-flower and lovely garden plant. \$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- Orange Bride (18), F.C.C. Haarlem, a beautiful and refined flower with flat overlapping pure white perianth while the tangerine-orange crown is beautifully frilled giving the flower a lovely appearance. \$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 16.50 per 100

Orange Monarch (15), broad much overlapping round and flat ivory-white perianth with very large ruffled brilliant orange flat crown, a very free flowering variety of great substance and excellent garden variety.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

PAPILLON BLANCHE (20), a most remarkable novelty, large overlapping icy-white perianth of splendid texture with beautifully pure white flat splitted crown, giving the impression of a white Butterfly. Very attractive and outstanding for flower decoration. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

Patriarch (18), a fine bold flower of distinct character, having broad solid pure white perianth of good substance and large shallowish apricot-orange crown, beautifully frilled which holds its colour well, makes a most handsome and striking garden plant. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Penvose (19), F.C.C. (e.g.) R.H.S. 1953, a remarkable and distinct flower, broad white perianth of much substance standing at right angles to the well-flanged neat rather trumpet-like crown, which opens pale chrome-yellow soon passing to a pleasing buff, tall strong stem and deep bluish-green foliage.

35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.

Polindra (20), F.C.C. (e.g.) R.H.S. and Haarlem, an amazingly beautiful flower with broad well-overlapping pure white perianth of great substance and smoothest texture, large well-finished clear yellow crown, much admired for its well proportioned flower; recommended for exhibition as well as for the garden, holds second place of varieties for cutting.

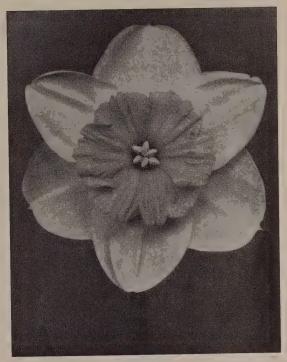
\$ 3.20 per doz.; \$ 22.00 per 100

Red Bird (18), F.C.C. Haarlem, a distinct and charming variety, broad much overlapping, snow-white perianth with a rich coloured deep orange-red cup.

\$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

Selma Lagerlöf (18), A.M. Haarlem, this well-formed flower of singular beauty has a broad smooth pure white perianth, the very large orange crown is rather shallow and slightly paler at centre, a charming garden variety.

**\$ 2.90** per doz.; **\$ 20.00** per 100



Amateur

Sempre Avanti (18), A.M. Haarlem, a distinguished fine introduction of great beauty, flower is large and well-formed with creamy-white perianth and a bold orange cup, may be gently forced. \$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 16.50 per 100

Smiling Queen (18), a beautiful flower of great distinction, a very broad much overlapping white perianth and a gracefully frilled orange cup, a good flower of enchanting appearance.

\$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 16.50 per 100

Spencer Tracy (20), F.C.C. Haarlem 1949, a magnificent garden flower of striking beauty, broad overlapping pure white perianth and a very large flat crown of vivid orange wonderfully frilled, colour deepening at edges, ideal for indoor cultivation. \$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 16.50 per 100

St. Louis (18), F.C.C. (g) Haarlem 1953, large widespread pure white and much overlapping perianth, flat soft yellow crown, prettily edged with sunproof vermilion-red, a variety of striking beauty and of extra-ordinary substance and durability, strongly recommended. \$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100

Sunnybrook (18), A.M. Haarlem. One of the finest John Evelyn seedlings, white perianth with a large beautifully frilled cup of sun-proof soft orange, a superb variety for the garden.

\$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 16.50 per 100

### DIVISION IIC - LARGE-CUPPED

### White or Whitish Perianth with Corona not paler than the Perianth

Aprilis (12), A.M. Haarlem 1944, a fine variety of uniform silvery-white throughout, lovely pointed perianth and short nicely frilled cup. A most elegantly formed variety for the rock-garden because of its dwarf growth. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

- Castella (18), a very beautiful flower of good size with nicely rounded white segments and a well-proportioned bowl-shaped cup, which quickly passes to pure white, fine for exhibition and for the garden. \$ 2.90 per doz.; \$ 20.00 per 100
- Dunlewey (17), A.M. (e.g.) R.H.S., a fine large flower of perfect form and quality, broad smooth pure white perianth with large creamy cup, rather short in stem but its amazing freedom to bloom makes it a splendid garden plant.

  35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.
- Ice Follies (16), a variety of great beauty and purity, circular white perianth of lovely smooth texture and flat saucer shaped white crown, a most serene flower and extremely beautiful cut-flower for decorative purposes.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- Jules Verne (22), A.M. Haarlem 1949, a very large and exquisite variety of superb quality, finish substance and texture, very broad well-overlapping pure white perianth with large neatly flanged trumpet-shaped white cup with a pleasing soft creamy-yellow band, a real outstanding variety as a show-flower and for the garden. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

# Division III - Small-Cupped Narcissi

(Comprising the former Barrii and Small-cupped Leedsii)
Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; Cup or Corona not more than one-third the length of the perianth segments.

#### DIVISION IIIA - SMALL-CUPPED

### Yellow, Lemon or Pale Primrose Perianth with yellow or red-stained cups

- Edward Buxton (20), A.M. Haarlem, a fine flower with soft yellow perianth as flat and round as a large coin, the shapely cup is soft orange with a distinct sunproof red margin, strong and tall grower, excellent for pot-culture (see illustration page 67). \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Rapallo (19), A.M. Haarlem, very attractive flower of fine quality, smooth deep lemon yellow perianth and much expanding flat crown with a sharply defined red band at margin, a very fine show-flower.

  75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

### DIVISION IIIB - SMALL-CUPPED

### White or Whitish Perianth with yellow, pink or red-stained cups

- Amateur (17), A.M. Haarlem 1943, a splendid flower with immense thick very broad snow-white perianth and a flat expanding orange crown, the perfect balance of the flower makes it a very attractive, strong grower, plant in a shaded position (see illustration page 61). \$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- Firetail (19), F.C.C. (e) A.M. R.H.S., an attractive flower of Poeticus form with broad creamy-white perianth and a large bright crimson-scarlet cup, flowers are of great substance, strongly recommended. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- Glen Fire (19), A.M. Haarlem, large well-formed flower with pure white perianth and a vivid orange crown, lasting qualities and lovely for garden and show purposes. \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100
- Hardy (18), A.M. Haarlem 1942, a very unique and really attractive flower with flat smooth much overlapping creamy-white perianth of splendid quality and heavy durable texture, the orange-red crown is semi-double and heavily frilled. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100
- Johannesburg (19), A.M. Haarlem, a most attractive flower with pure white perianth and deep orange, half double, beautifully frilled cup, most lovely cut-flower. \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Kansas (19), a large and most striking flower, perfect in balance and quality, having immense overlapping smooth white perianth and nicely proportioned handsome flat lemon-yellow crown with narrow cinnamon coloured edge which does not fade, fine show-flower.

\$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 18.50 per 100

Lady Kesteven (17), A.M. Haarlem, one of the most outstanding flowers in this section, the pure white perianth is of most unusual texture, while the eye is a beautiful cherry-red, strongly recommended for exhibition. Plant in a shaded position.

\$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

- LA RIANTE (16), A.M. Haarlem, broad pure white perianth and flat crown of a brilliant crimson-scarlet of unique colouring and excellent poise, this exquisite flower of perfect form stands out as one of the finest red and white, excellent for growing in bowls, a good forcer and lovely in the garden (see illustration page 67). \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 13.50 per 100
- **Love Dream** (16), A.M. Haarlem, an enchanting flower of thick smooth texture with a rounded pure white perianth and a flattened intense orange-red cup. \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 15.50 per 100
- Mary Housley (20), pure white well-overlapping perianth with lemon-yellow crown prettily edged soft orange, an exquisite garden and show-flower but also excellent for early forcing.

75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

- **Polar Ice** (16), A.M. Haarlem, a very charming flower, snow-white perianth with a very small flat white crown shaded emerald-green in centre, ideal as a cut-flower, attracted much attention at our exhibit at the R.H.S. Daffodil Show 1957, late flowering. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100
- **Pomona** (17), A.M. Haarlem, lovely flower with broad much overlapping snow-white perianth of solid texture, flat citron-yellow cup flushed apricot and small orange rim, when flower is fully open the cup changes from apricot to green while the orange rim deepens and gives it a distinguished appearance. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- Verger (16), A.M. E.F.A. Haarlem, a charming flower with pure white perianth and a striking deep red crown, has the appearance of a large Poeticus, for early forcing. \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

## Division IV - Double Narcissi

Distinguishing characters: Double flowers

- albus plenus odoratus (Double white Poeticus) (16), a late flowering snow-white variety of great charm, a good variety for naturalizing in grass and much praised as a cut-flower; in cold districts it does not flower freely, not suitable for forcing. Officially Div. X. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100
- Camellia (16), a very beautiful and much refined flower doing justice to its name, colour a pleasing soft primrose-yellow throughout, the flowers are held on tall strong stems, vigorous grower.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

- Indian Chief (20), A.M. Haarlem, a full double large flower of sulphur yellow intermingled with deep orange segments, carried on a strong stem well above the foliage, an early flowering variety and strong garden plant.

  \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Inglescombe (16), A.M. (e.m.) R.H.S., an exquisite, beautiful flower of very fine quality and form, one of the best doubles of this section, producing a large flower of a uniform primrose colour, a vigorous grower and much praised for cutting. \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- Irene Copeland (14), A.M. (g) R.H.S., white with creamy-white segments and a golden ray down centre. Every Fancier and Collector of Narcissi should have this splendid variety in his collection, a perfect cut-flower and very valuable for forcing purposes. \$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- Mary Copeland (14), F.C.C. (e.g.) R.H.S., one of the most striking flowers of this section; of exquisite beauty with the long petals of creamy-white and centre interspersed lemon and brilliant orange-red, a most delightful variety, suitable for late forcing (see illustration page 58).

**\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.00** per 100

- Mrs. William Copeland (14), F.C.C. (e.g.) R.H.S., this lovely large well-shaped and good double flower is white interspersed creamy-yellow. \$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100
- telamonius plenus (Van Sion, The Double Trumpet Daffodil) (16), unsurpassable for naturalizing purposes and it is also very valuable for early forcing, very showy variety. Officially classified under Division X. \$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 14.50 per 100
- TEXAS (20), F.C.F.A. A.M. Haarlem, magnificent large full double flower of perfect form, yellow intermixed with orange-scarlet, the large and heavy flowers are carried on upright stems, fine for forcing. \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- **Twink** (20), A.M. Haarlem, charming flower of a pale primrose flushed white with centre deep orangered, a fine exhibition variety as well as a lovely garden plant. \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Valencia (18), F.C.C. Haarlem, a lovely full double flower of immense size carried on a tall upright stem, a pretty combination of deep golden yellow intermixed with orange-scarlet, we personally admire it and believe it deserves much more popularity. \$2.35 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100

## Division V - Triandrus Narcissi

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of Narcissus triandrus clearly evident

- Horn of Plenty (12) a beautiful large flowering triandrus hybrid with three glistening snow-white flowers on a stem, a very free flowering and long lasting variety and fine for late forcing in pots. \$1.50 each
- Moonshine (13), A.M. Haarlem, an attractive and dainty triandrus hybrid, producing creamy white star-shaped flowers in clusters of 2 and 3, much recommended. \$2.05 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100
- Niveth (17), H.C. Wisley, a triandrus hybrid of the greatest beauty and more vigour than is usual in this class, purest stainless white of perfect grace and quality.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Rippling Waters (15), F.C.C. (g) R.H.S., a very delicate variety in this section, producing three to four, slightly reflexing, icy-white flowers on a slender but strong stem, a lovely addition for the rock-garden and extremely fine cut-flowers.

  90 cts each; \$ 9.00 per doz.
- Shot Silk (15), A.M. Haarlem, the most graceful triandrus in this class, appealing and enchanting, both perianth and cup of the slightly star-shaped blossoms are of a clear uniform creamy-white throughout, extremely beautiful for choice spots in the rock-garden. \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100
- SILVER CHIMES (12), F.C.C. Haarlem 1953, a remarkable variety of great beauty and richness, having stiff dark olive-green foliage and a strong stem carrying nine or more beautifully, small formed hanging flowers with glistening white perianth and creamy-lemon cups, a good garden plant also looking particularly fresh and rich when used as a cut-flower and very lovely to grow in pots in a cold room or greenhouse. Late flowering.

  \$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- THALIA (16), A.M. Haarlem, a very lovely hybrid of Narcissus triandrus albus, often called the Orchid-flowered Daffodil, produces beautiful pure white flowers which are carried 2 to 4 on a stem and is most attractive for either rock-garden or indoor decoration, late flowering (see illustration page 67).

  \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100
- Tresamble (14), F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, May-flowering, most charming Triandrus hybrid with four to six sparkling large white flowers on a stem, free flowering, which makes it particularly attractive in the rock-garden. \$2.55 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100

triandrus albus, see miniature Daffodils and various species page 70.

# Division VI - Cyclamineus Narcissi

**Beryl** (8), A.M. (g) R.H.S. and Haarlem, a very charming graceful drooping flower, slightly reflexing pale-primrose perianth with small globular yellow cup ribbon edged brick red.

**\$ 1.95** per doz.; **\$ 13.50** per 100

cyclamineus (6), F.C.C. R.H.S. 1887, the earliest to flower and one of the choicest species, rich yellow trumpet with reflexing Cyclamen-like perianth, grows a tiny bulb (collected bulbs offered).

\$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

- February Gold (15), a lovely golden yellow flower after the style of a Cyclamen, exquisitely formed bold trumpet and very much reflexed petals, a refined variety, also good for indoor culture, very early flowering and long lasting. \$2.45 per doz.; \$16.50 per 100
- Garden Princess (14), a fine hybrid of this interesting section, being of a uniform deep golden yellow throughout, slightly reflexing petals and prettily frilled trumpet. \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- **Golden Lacquer** (16), a very early flowering hybrid of deep golden-yellow throughout with a large expanding serrated trumpet and slightly reflexed petals, for early forcing.

\$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

- Little Witch (6), a dainty golden yellow flower of a most attractive form with slightly reflexing petals and small trumpet-shaped cup somewhat narrow at the mouth, a lovely hybrid for the rockery, very long lasting.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.00 per doz.
- March Sunshine (9), a very pretty cyclamineus hybrid and one of the first to bloom in March, a rich yellow tube-like cup with starry formed slightly reflexing yellow petals, very free flowering, fine for pots, also a treasure for the rockery, very early flowering. \$2.25 per doz.; \$15.50 per 100
- **PEEPING TOM** (14), a very outstanding and attractive cyclamineus-hybrid of recent introduction, remarkable on account of its deep golden yellow long trumpet and reflexed petals. A real beauty for the rockery with much lasting qualities, very early flowering (see illustration page 65).

\$ 3.05 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

# Division VII - Jonquilla Narcissi

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of any of the Narcissus Jonquilla group clearly evident

**Baby Moon**, (9), F.C.C. Haarlem 1960, a really charming late flowering Jonquilla of uniform buttercup yellow colour, bearing 3 to 4 smallish flowers on each stem, a novelty of very free flowering habit and increase, most attractive dainty flower for cutting, strongly scented. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

**campernelli odorus plenus** (13), A.M. R.H.S., beautiful double yellow flowers of elegant form, may be forced gently, very lovely variety and strongly recommended. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

campernelli odorus rugulosus (13), rich deep yellow flowers, broad imbricated perianth with straight wrinkled cup, excellent for forcing or bedding, very charming. 85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

**campernelli Orange Queen** (10), A.M. Haarlem, a lovely variety with 3 or 4 deliciously scented flowers of very deep golden-orange on a stem, splendid forcer. \$ 1.35 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Chérie, see under New Rare Daffodils page 42.

Golden Goblet (15), A.M. (e) R.H.S., rich golden-yellow, like a trumpet in size but with the perfume of the Jonquilla Hybrids, a variety of a very strong constitution and an ideal garden plant.

**\$ 3.05** per doz.; **\$ 21.00** per 100

**GOLDEN PERFECTION** (22), F.C.C. A.M. (g), one of the largest Jonquilla, 2 or 3 very large flowers on a stem, the overlapping perianth and well proportioned cup are clear yellow, very strong and robust plant. \$ 1.85 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

gracilis (14), light sulphur-yellow flowers from which 3 to 5 on one spike, a dainty and charming looking Jonquil, sweetly scented and one of the last Narcissi to bloom. A valuable species for the rock-garden. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

jonquilla Single (10), (The Single Sweet Scented Jonquilla), dainty heads of small rich golden yellow flowers, much praised for their delicious scent, may be forced gently, very valuable for cutting.

**70 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100

jonquilla flore pleno (10), (The Double Sweet Scented Jonquilla), rich yellow graceful double fragrant flowers, very attractive variety.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

LANARTH (20), F.C.C. (eg) R.H.S., a beautiful and unique variety of unusual colouring, medium sized flower with bright golden-yellow flat perianth, crown flushed with old-gold.

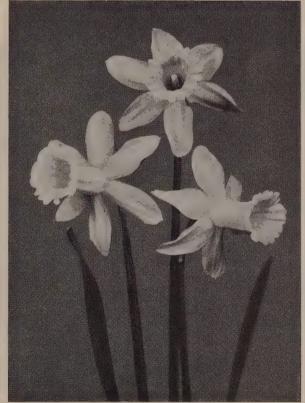
\$ 1.55 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

**Topaz** (16), a beautiful introduction of free flowering habit, can best be described as a giant white Jonquilla with large primrose-yellow cup, the fragrant flowers are held on tall stems, a valuable addition to this section, very long lasting.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Trevithian (13), F.C.C. (m.g.), F.A., a very beautiful variety having 2 or 3 flowers of uniform shade of pale lemonyellow on a stem, broad overlapping smooth perianth and medium-sized shallow crown. A strong grower, recommended for gentle forcing in bowls (see illustration page 67).

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100



cyclamineus Peeping Tom

## Division VIII - Tazetta Narcissi

(Comprising the former Poetaz Narcissi Bunch-flowered Group)
Distinguished characters: Characteristics of any of the Narcissus Tazetta group clearly evident.

Cheerfulness (Double) (19), F.C.C. (g.e.), a double form of Elvira, creamy-white perianth with a full double centre of pale yellow and of extreme sweetness, very distinct and decorative, strong grower. Officially classified under Division IV, suitable for late forcing.

\$ 1.85 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**CRAGFORD** (14), F.C.C. F.C.E.F.A. Haarlem, of great beauty and value on account of its extreme earliness and its easy response to forcing, strong pure white perianth of excellent form with a brilliant scarlet cup, can successfully be grown in pebbles in water like Paperwhite Narcissus to bloom after Christmas. Its perfume is delicious (see illustration). \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

**Early Splendour** (18), pure white perianth with deep orange cup, producing a large flowerhead of 6 to 8 flowers on each stem, very effective garden variety and vigorous grower.

**\$ 2.20** per doz.; **\$ 15.00** per 100

Fairness (Double) (19), a splendid double form of Admiration with several double flowers, pale yellow interspersed orange and scarlet, very decorative (officially Div. IV). \$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

**GERANIUM** (16), F.C.C. (g) R.H.S., a Poetaz-Hybrid of great beauty, bearing on strong stems heads of 4 to 6 flowers with broad pure white petals of solid substance and a bright orange-scarlet cup, a very effective late flowering variety much recommended for the border, sturdy grower, fine for pots and for orcing from the middle of February, late flowering variety. \$ 1.85 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**Halvose** (16), suffused orange-yellow perianth with bright red cup, a very interesting variety because of its very remarkable colouring and rich flowering habit, easy forcer. \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

**Laurens Koster** (22), bearing on tall gracefull stems heads of 5 to 6 large flowers with solid rounded perianth and pale yellow cup, one of the best for forcing. \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100



Cragford

L'Innocence (15), pure white perianth with a deep yellow eye, having 4 to 6 flowers on each stem, blooms freely and may be grown in water and pebbles, very dependable.

\$ 2.20 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

Martha Washington (20), A.M. (g) R.H.S., an outstanding and beautiful variety with substantial flowers as large as a 'Barrii', broad snow-white overlapping perianth with a well-proportioned orange cup, having two or three flowers on a stem.

\$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100

Scarlet Gem (15), F.C.C. (e.g.) F.A., one of the best bunch-flowered Narcissi, it is a very showy free flowering variety with primrose-yellow perianth and brilliant orange-scarlet cup, fine forcer.

**\$ 2.30** per doz.; **\$ 15.50** per 100

St. Agnes (16), F.C.C. Haarlem A.M. (e.g.m.) R.H.S., this lovely variety deserves wide popularity to do justice to its beauty and attractiveness, a very beautiful Poetaz, large pure white perianth and expanded eye of brilliant deep solid red, a splendid garden and forcing variety.

\$ 1.85 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

Yellow Cheerfulness (19), remarkable fine yellow coloured sport from the well-known Cheerfulness with all its pleasing characteristics, a most lovely flower of delicate colour, extremely useful for decorative purposes and also a vigorous garden plant. \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100



Small-Cupped IIIa Edward Buxton \$ 2.05 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100 See page 62



Small-Cupped IIIb La Riante \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 13.50 per 100 See page 63



Triandrus Narcissus Thalia \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100 See page 64



Jonquilla Narcissus Trevithian \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100 See page 65



**Hyacinth Scarlet Perfection** 



Fairy Hyacinth Borah



Hyacinth Ostara



Hyacinth Ann Mary

## Division IX - Poeticus Narcissi

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of the Narcissus Poeticus group without admixture of any other.

Actaea (17), F.C.C. Haarlem, one of the largest Poeticus in existence, broad snow-white perianth of great substance and good form, the very large eye is broadly margined with dark red, vigorous grower and late flowering variety. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Margaret Mitchell (17), F.C.C. Haarlem 1947, a brilliant flower with broad pure white overlapping perianth soft yellow eye beautifully margined with red (officially classified under Division IIIb). \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Queen of Narcissi (20), A.M. Haarlem, pure white well-formed Poeticus of fine texture and substance with striking bright yellow eye edged bright red producing an abundance of sweetly scented flowers (officially classified under Division IIIb). 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Recurvus (Old Pheasant Eye) (17), pure white perianth with deep red eye, must not be forced, a most valuable variety for cutting and naturalizing, very late. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

## Miniature Narcissi and various Species

bulbocodium citrinus, one of the finest varieties of this section, producing lovely, soft lemon-yellow flowers of dainty habit, a gem for the rock-garden, height 6 to 8 in. \$ 1.60 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

bulbocodium conspicuus (Yellow Hoop Petticoat) (6), dainty little golden-yellow flowers with rush-like foliage. 85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

bulbocodium monophyllus (6), an exquisite snow-white version of the Hoop-Petticoat, dainty dwarf species from Algeria, perfectly hardy. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

bulbocodium obesus (5), a very lovely clear yellow little species with creeping foliage, attractive for the rock-garden. **\$ 1.10** per doz.; **\$ 7.50** per 100

canaliculatus (6), is like miniature Polyanthus Narcissus Grand Monarque, several tiny flowers on a dwarf stem, white with yellow cups, very suitable for the

\$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100 cyclamineus, see under Division VI.

rock-garden. Sicily.

juncifolius (The Miniature Rock-Leaved Daffodil) (5), producing dainty little flowers of a rich golden yellow colour, a splendid little thing for the rock-garden.

\$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

Little Beauty (4) a most charming new miniature with very bright yellow trumpet and pure white perianth, an early flowering variety of lasting qualities and a gem for the rock-garden. 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

lobularis (Lent Lily) (8), a pretty miniature Daffodil, perianth sulphur-yellow, trumpet yellow, a gem for the rock-garden, the earliest of all Narcissi.

**\$ 1.10** per doz.; **\$ 7.50** per 100

minimus (3), the smallest and dwarfest of all Trumpet daffodils, producing outdoors in February dainty little trumpet flowers of elegant form, rich full yellow, it may be naturalized in rockeries or in grass.

\$ 1.50 per doz.; \$ 10.50 per 100

pseudo N. obvallaris (Tenby Daffodil) (9), very early, smart bright golden yellow medium sized flowers, built on stiff stems, very good in grass. May also be grown in pots. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100



triandrus albus



Paperwhite Grandiflora

Rosy Trumpet (12), a pretty flower and an attractive beauty especially for the rockgarden, where the white perianth and refined apricot pink trumpet will come to full advantage.

\$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

triandrus albus (7), (The Angel's Tears Daffodil), an exquisite little species, greatly admired in the rock-garden, it is of a slender growth and produces a cluster of elegant little creamy white flowers with globular cup and perianth reflexing like a Cyclamen (see illustration page 69).

90 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

triandrus concolor (8), bright golden yellow form, very attractive.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

watieri (4), A.M. (a) R.H.S., an exquisite dainty little pure white flat flower of crystalline texture, very suitable for growing in pots or pans in a cool greenhouse or for planting in the rock-garden, very fascinating. \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 17.50 per 100

**W.P. Milner** (12), A.M. (r) R.H.S., a very charming dainty and sulphur-white coloured flower of trumpet form, is one of the best for growing in fibre, a batch in the rock-garden or in the border is something worth having, profuse bloomer early flow-\$ 2.15 per doz.; \$ 15.00 per 100

#### **PAPERWHITES**

(For indoor only)

Paperwhite Grandiflora, early snowy-white scented flowers, very valuable for early forcing only, the only bulbs that may be placed direct in the window after planting. \$ 1.65 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100 Grand Soleil d'Or, very much like Paperwhite in habit, colour deep yellow with bright orange cup \$ 2.85 per doz.; \$ 19.75 per 100 very showy and recommended for forcing only.

# Hyacinths

The Hyacinth like the Tulip is a bulb of great antiquity although it was only brought from Asia to Europe less than four hundred years ago and as well as the Tulip figured in the Dutch Bulb craze of 1635. In the second part of the 18th century France lead the fashion in flowers and Madame de Pompadour forced the French Court to adopt the Hyacinth as the fasionable flower giving the trade great prosperity and hence the many French names found among the varieties, such as La Victoire, Grand Maitre, L'Innocence etc, but the Revolution changed this and the Hyacinth came within the reach of all classes and ceased be the proud exclusive possession of the French Aristocracy.

**CULTURE IN POTS** 

Hyacinths should be potted early in September for Christmas flowering and every fortnight thereafter for succession. Plunge pots in the coolest place of the garden, or place in a dark, cool cellar.

After three or four months, remove to the forcing house as required, but care should always be taken that the bulbs are wellrooted and the buds well out of the neck of the bulbs before beginning to force, as successful cultivation depends almost completely on these points. To keep the foliage dwarf and to assist the perfect colouring of the flowers, they should have occasionally a supply of liquid manure during the growing period. Always use clean old pots.

HYACINTHS ON GLASSES

This old-fashioned way is in favour again now that the proper glasses are on the market.

Fill the glass with water (rainwater preferred) almost to touch the base of the bulbs. A few pieces of charcoal should be put in the glass, as this keeps the water clean. The next procedure is the simple one of placing the glasses in any dark cool room, cellar or cupboard until the sprouts are about 3 inches high, then they may be brought gradually to the full light. Although this system of culture is very simple, it is of first importance that the largest size bulbs are obtained.

**OUTDOOR CULTURE** 

For successful cultivation in the open air, Hyacinths may be planted any time from September to December. September and October are the best months; they like a light rich soil, the ground should be well-drained. Plant the bulbs at equal distances apart in circles or in straight lines and about 5 inches deep. Never plant the bulbs when the ground is wet. They require a little covering of straw or a thin layer of leaves during the winter to protect them from frost.

# **Exhibition Hyacinths**

(Top Size Bulbs)

#### **COLLECTIONS OF EXHIBITION HYACINTHS**

These collections of top sized Exhibition Hyacinths create a wonderful harmony of distinct colours that blend into great loveliness and charm. Suitable for growing in pots or glasses.

12 I	Bulbs	, 3	each	of	4	exquisite	varieties,	our	selection														\$ 4.50	
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- Amethyst, an outstanding and unique amethyst coloured variety with a shade of lilac-mauve producing an abundance of delicate flowers, late forcer.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.25 per doz.
- \*Ann Mary, bright pink, changing into salmon-pink when flower ages, producing a medium-sized truss with broad strong bells which space out well on the stem; a perfect variety for early forcing and ideal for bowl- and pot-culture (see illustration page 68).

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Arentine Arendsen, a large spike of fine form well-set with large pure white bells, very valuable for pots. May be forced from the first week in January.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Bismarck, a fine light-blue Hyacinth, just a shade lighter than the well-known variety Grand Maître, excellent for early forcing. May be forced from the beginning of January.
  - 45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.
- City of Haarlem, one of the best yellows, a beautiful large creamy-yellow compact bloom of fine form and substance, very valuable for pots. May be forced from the second week in February.
  - 50 cts each; \$ 5.25 per doz.
- \*Delft Blue, unusual large well-filled spike of a very beautiful porcelain-blue shade, a magnificent early variety which should be forced in the first half of January. Well-suited for pot- and bowl-culture, also fine for bedding.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Edelweisz, a very beautiful flower of peerless-white, growing an unusual large broad spike with large bells on a stiff stem, excellent for bedding and pot-work. May be forced from the beginning of February.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Jan Bos, a perfectly formed red hyacinth of an unusual rich tone and ideal carriage, flowers are of good size and habit keeping their colour to the end, fine for bowl- and pot-culture. May be forced from the beginning of January.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- King of the Blues, a rich indigo-blue, bearing a splendid spike with large bells, excellent for late forcing and bedding in conjunction with City of Haarlem (yellow).

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Lady Derby, a very pleasing shade of light salmon-pink, bearing a perfect broad truss on a strong and erect stem, fine for bedding and pot-culture, end of January.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Laura, very distinct and beautiful shade of soft-lilac, one of the most outstanding hyacinths on account of its pleasing colour, medium-sized truss, excellent forcer.

  60 cts each; \$ 6.25 per doz.
- \*La Victoire, brilliant rose-crimson, when forced a fine dark pink, this variety grows a large spike of perfect form and is unsurpassed for all purposes, middle of January.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*L'Innocence, a very popular and pleasing variety of pure white producing a fine large truss on a strong stem with large bells of great beauty and substance giving it such a rich and lavish look, ideal for bedding and for pot-culture. May be forced from beginning of January. 45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Myosotis, a very beautiful and pleasing light-blue tinged lavender, large bells with silvery centre form a magnificent spike of erect habit, exceedingly fine for pot-culture and a splendid forcer. May be started from end of January.

  50 cts each; \$5.25 per doz.
- Oranje Boven (Salmonetta), a very beautiful art shade of apricot-salmon, medium large compact trusses on graceful stems, superb for pot-culture, grows a small bulb. May be forced from end of January.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.25 per doz.
- \*Ostara, a charming variety of recent introduction, producing a magnificent spike of a fine dark-blue colour with large fleshy bells well-placed on a strong stem, good for pots and for bedding. May be started from the end of January (see illustration page 68).

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.

### Miscellaneous Bulbs

#### Allium

Allium are diverse in form, height and colour but all very ornamental with their gay blooms which are flat and round umbels, gloves and swinging tassels, striking a note of marked distinction in the border in early Summer. Owing to the various sizes of the bulbs it is only possible to give the depth of planting by saying that the bulbs should be covered three times their own depth with soil. They may be planted in borders, or shrubberies while the smaller varieties are suitable for rockeries.

Aflatunense, A.M. R.H.S., 1948, a beautiful species from North Persia with a dense spherical umbel of purple-lilac flowers, flowering end of May, height about 2½ feet. \$ 1.80 per doz.; \$ 12.50 per 100

**albo-pilosum,** large bold umbels 9 to 12 inches in diameter of star-shaped lilac flowers, downy white foliage in June, height 2 feet. Valuable for cutting. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

azureum, a lovely tall growing variety, producing round heads of a pleasing shade of sky-blue flowers in July, very pretty, height 26 inches.
60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100

elatum, beautiful rare species from Central Asia with broad shiny green leaves and dense umbel of rose-lilac on strong stems, height 3 feet. Very impressive garden plant, flowering end of May.

\$ 1.50 each giganteum, a very ornamental variety of colossal size bearing in July large heads of violet rose tinted flowers; undoubtedly the most impressive variety in this section, height 5 feet, very decorative in the house, long lasting.

\$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3

KARATAVIENSE, a very distinct Allium, producing very broad flat leaves, the scapes are about 8 inches and bear dense umbels of pink-coloured flowers in May (see illustration page 92).

**\$ 1.10** per doz.; **\$ 7.50** per 100 y flowers in June, height 10 inches.

Moly (Golden Garlic), producing compact umbels of bright yellow flowers in June, height 10 inches, fine for naturalizing, spreads rapidly and excellent for cutting.

40 cts per doz.; \$ 2.75 per 100

neapolitanum, bearing graceful heads of white flowers, recommended for naturalizing, fine for cutting and flower decoration, height 15 inch.

40 cts per doz.; \$ 2.75 per 100

Ostrowskianum, a pretty dwarf species, flowering in June with fairly large heads of rose-coloured flowers, height 6 inches.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

roseum grandiflorum, handsome heads of soft rose with a tinge of purple carried on a slender stem, height 1 feet, June.

70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

Rosenbachianum, handsome plant bearing in May large heads of purple-rose flowers, recommended for cutting, height 4 feet. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

**Rosenbachianum album,** a white form of the former with the same handsome character, height 4 feet.

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
Schubertii, a rare and very beautiful species
from Palestine, large umbel of rose-red
flowers on a very long leaf-stalk, can grow
immensely tall; only a few bulbs available
mid-June. \$ 2.00 each

sphaerocephalum (descendens), an interesting and handsome plant producing in June–July close round compact heads of purple-lilac flowers, this pretty thing deserves much more popularity, height 2 feet, fine for cutting.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100 Zebdanence, graceful pure white flower-heads, excellent for naturalizing and charming as a cut-flower, very lasting quality. June, 15 inches

40 cts per doz.; \$ 2.75 per 100



Allium albo-pilosum

# Royal Dutch Amaryllis

(Hippeastrum)

Through generations of skilful plant breeding a few Dutch growers have produced hybrid Amaryllis of magnificent proportion and breathtaking beauty in a good range of clear colours. Each colour grown from one exhibiting type bulb by means of vegetative scale production method, which assures that every bulb in a given colour blooms exactly like another bulb of the same colour.

We offer a fine collection of named varieties, which are all tested in the Valleevue Test Garden of

Cleveland (U.S.A.). Generally giving more than 1 scape.

American Express, pure glistening Oriental-red, dark red in throat with a reflection of violet-rose, scape 26–28" tall 4 large, eight and a half inch blooms. Rating 1953-A.A. \$ 4.00 each

**Apple-Blossom,** almost white with neatly Dawn Pink featherings, throat is faintly greenish with a dark red ring, scape with 4–5 rich blooms. \$ 4.50 each

**Bouquet,** vivid Begonia-pink, matching Empire-rose, scape 25–28" tall with 3 eight to nine inch florets. Rating 1953-A. \$ 4.50 each

**Candy Cane,** two-coloured Amaryllis, petals are white edged, a white streak springing from the throat, between the edge and the streak the colour is bright capsicum red, scape 26–28" tall with 4–5 flowers. \$ 4.50 each

**Doris Lilian,** peerless carmine-rose, somewhat darker in throat, scape 26–28" tall with 4 seven inch blooms. Rating 1953-A. \$ 4.50 each

Joan of Arc, pure glistening white with green in throat, scape 24" tall with 4-6 seven and one half inch blooms. Rating 1950-A.A. \$ 3.75 each

**Pinksterflower,** beautiful Azalea-pink with a slightly Poppy-red reflection and applegreen in the throat changing into Camellia-rose, scape 25–27" tall, 4–5 seven and one half inch blooms. \$ 3.75 each

Queen of the Whites, glistening waxy pure white with faint tinge of green in throat, scape 25" tall with 4-5 nine inch blooms. Rating 1950-A.A. \$ 3.75 each

Queen's Page, clean salmon-orange, blending deeper in throat, scape 20" tall with 4 eight inch blooms. Rating 1951-A.A. \$ 3.75 each

Red Master, deep bordeaux-red of great substance with flat florets, scape 24" tall with 3-4 eleven to twelve inch florets. Rating 1950-A.A. \$ 4.00 each

Salmonetta, glistening salmon-pink, blending salmon-orange in throat, scape 20" tall with 4 eight inch blooms. Rating 1951-A. \$3.75 each

Striped Beauty, vivid salmon-pink with white edge and indefined carmine-red lines on each petal, scape 20" tall with 3-4 five inch blooms. Rating 1951-A. \$4.00 each

Sweet Seventeen, frost salmon-rose on white, giving a flesh pink tone to the florets, scape 20" tall. 4 nine inch blooms. Rating 1950-B. \$ 3.75 each

Winter Joy (Hybrid), one of the most outstanding and beautiful scarlet-red Amaryllis hybrids ever raised, a seedling from Amaryllis Hippeastrum x A. equestris, producing generally two stems on each bulb with four brilliant red flowers of perfect form on each stem and wonderful green leaves at the same time. Flowers are smaller than the normal Amaryllis. An ideal half-species variety for home growing and can be had in flower from Christmas onwards by gentle forcing.

\$ 3.75 each

Wyndham Hayward, a magnificent dark Oriental red, glossy dark blood-red in throat, scape 28" tall, with 4 eight and a half inch florets. Rating 1953-A.A. \$ 4.50 each

Choice seedlings mixture, these are bound to give entire satisfaction because of their large blooms of breathtaking beauty, the shades being delightful. They deserve a much larger popularity and to encourage their cultivation, they are offered at a special price. Large bulbs. \$ 3.00 each

## Amaryllis Belladonna hybrids

These new A. Belladonna hybrids are all of Dutch origin and are indeed an enormous improvement on the older varieties because of their free flowering character. The trumpet-shaped flowers are displayed in fine large umbels all nicely arranged around the top of the stem. The bulbs should be planted in the open and the position chosen should be sunny and well-drained; the base of a south wall or fence is usually quite satisfactory. Leaves come first and die down in the summer, while flower-stalks are thrown up afterwards. Give a light covering during winter.

Barberton, uniform dark rose-pink.

Cape Town, deep rosy-red, beautiful rounded flowers, very free flowering.

Support of the prosy-red bearing umbels of beautiful large fragrant flowers on strong stems.

Jagersfontein, rich deep pink, yellowish interior, large flowers.

Johannesburg, beautiful light rose-pink, white throat yellowish at base, produces as many as 15 flowers on a spike. Tall stems.

Stellenbosch, beautiful delicate uniform pink, large umbels rather late flowering.

\$ 2.50 each
\$ 2.50 each
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- \*Perle Brilliant, a lovely porcelain-blue handsome spike of erect habit with very large bells, ideal for bedding and pot-culture. May be forced from end of January.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.25 per doz.
- \*Pink Pearl, one of the finest clear pink hyacinths in cultivation producing a broad spike with large closely set bells, a grand variety for bowl and pot-culture. May be forced from beginning of January.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Princess Irene, another charming variety of recent introduction having a lovely shade of silvery-pink, producing a grand spike of uncommon beauty. May be successfully forced from beginning of January.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Princess Margaret, one of the most pleasing soft pink tones, very large well-formed spike full of good sized bells.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.25 per doz.
- Queen of the Blues, a clear azure-blue variety, large compact spike of medium-sized bells, a good variety for bedding and pot-culture, force from beginning of February. 45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- Queen of the Pinks, enormous compact spikes of a lovely bright-pink, recommended for bedding and very late forcing.

  45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.
- \*Scarlet Perfection, a lovely double sport of the deep scarlet-red Tubergen's Scarlet the best red in this section with beautiful symmetric double bells well-set on a strong stem. A very attractive hyacinth in form and superb for early January forcing, medium-sized truss (see illustration page 68).
  - 60 cts each; \$ 6.25 per doz.
- \*Tubergen's Scarlet, very deep scarlet flowers of medium size, very distinct on account of its unusual deep colour, grand for bowls, pots, force from middle of January.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.25 per doz.
- \*Winston S. Churchill, a most pleasing colour of lovely sky-blue, large spike of perfect shape and erect habit, one of the best Hyacinths for its colour and has proved itself to be a great favourite. An ideal pot plant and useful bedder.

  50 cts each; \$ 5.25 per doz.

Those marked \* are easy forcing varieties and especially suitable for indoor culture

# Hyacinths for Bowls or Bedding

These are specially selected second size bulbs, hand-picked and perfectly healthy, which we can recommend with every confidence for forcing purposes.

If bulbs are forced in quantities in boxes or large pots, they may be transferred into bowls, jardinets etc. when coming into bloom; this may be done without the least check or injury to the blooms.

#### **COLLECTIONS FOR BOWLS OR BEDDING**

These collections are perfectly blended varieties of the finest Hyacinths containing an exciting range of beautiful colours with outstanding qualities of sturdiness and dependability.

d varieties, our s	election	\$ 3.25
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\$ 3.00 \$ 21.00	Myosotis light blue	*
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\$ 3.00 \$ 21.00	Ostara, dark-blue	\$ 3.00 \$ 21.00
\$ 3.30 \$ 23.00		\$ 3.15 \$ 22.00
\$ 2.85 \$ 20.00	Pink Pearl, clear pink	\$ 3.00 \$ 21.00
	Princess Irene, silvery pink	\$ 3.00 \$ 21.00
\$ 2.85 \$ 20.00	Queen of the Blues, clear	
\$ 3.15 \$ 22.00	azure-blue	\$ 3.15 \$ 22.00
\$ 3.00 \$ 21.00	Winston Churchill, sky-blue	\$ 3.15 \$ 22.00
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# Hyacinths for Bedding

Also suitable for Bowls, Pots, Boxes, Jardinets, etc.

These Hyacinths which will give good spikes can be strongly recommended for their excellent quality. They are particularly suitable for large plantings in borders and shrubberies where they will produce a brilliant display. Customers may depend upon getting suitable varieties which will bloom simultaneously when selecting from the following colours. They may also be forced from the middle of January and onwards.

For Indoor and Outdoor

Red
Pink
White
Porcelain-Blue
Dark Blue
Lilac
Salmon-Orange
Yellow
All colours mixed

\$ 2.85 per doz. \$ 19.00 per 100

# Cynthella Hyacinths

(Dutch Roman or Miniature Hyacinths)

There is hardly anything in Hyacinths that gives more satisfaction than a group of Miniature Hyacinths. If planted in pots, shallow pans, jardinets, bowls, small wooden boxes etc., they produce a beautiful effect. They are also very charming in large beds and borders, but they should not be planted more than four inches apart.

For Indoor and Outdoor

### Various Hyacinths

Fairy Hyacinth Borah, a very charming variety of multiflora character with several graceful little spikes on one bulb, a pleasing shade of lavender-blue, particularly satisfactory for growing in pots and bowls to flower from the second part of January in the greenhouse or in the house (see illustration page 68).

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.; \$ 30.00 per 100

Rosalie, a very pleasing and elegant Miniature Hyacinth producing dainty bright pink flowers which are held on good stems. This charming variety of recent introduction can easily be forced into flower by the middle of December without any trouble and will be found very successful when planted in pots or bowls for Christmas flowering. Grows a small bulb. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Vanguard, a beautiful formed light blue Miniature Hyacinth of grand constitution, well-suited for very early forcing at Christmas-time, forms small sweetly scented heads. Excellent for growing in bowls or pots. Grows a small bulb.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Early French Roman Hyacinths, one of the easiest Hyacinths for indoor culture, may be had in bloom in November, December and January, graceful sweetly scented spikes of loosely set pure white bells, grows a small bulb. Strong flowering bulbs. \$ 3.95 per doz.; \$ 27.50 per 100

### Anemones (Windflowers)

Anemones are among the gayest of Spring flowers, the St. Brigid and De Caen being particularly beautiful and richly diversified in colour. Anemones are easy to grow and thrive in any garden soil, plant the tubers about 2 inches deep and 4 inches apart and are most effective planted in clumps of 12 or so. The St. Brigid and De Caen may also be planted in the Spring giving a succession of gay blooms in the summer. The tubers should be kept in a dry place prior to planting as they are very sensitive to dampness, but a soaking in water for 48 hours before planting will greatly assist germination. A light dressing of nitro-chalk as the buds appear will encourage long stem blooms.

St. Brigid (Semi Double) (10), we offer a splendid mixture comprising a great many rich colours and very pleasing shades, this lovely Anemone cannot be too highly recommended and should be planted

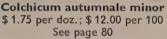
in generous quantities.	60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.25 per 100
St. Brigid Lord Lieutenant (10), a fine semi-double mauve flower.	<b>65 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 4.50</b> per 100
St. Brigid The Admiral (10), deep pink, semi-double.	<b>65 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 4.50</b> per 100
St. Brigid The Governor (10), brilliant scarlet, semi-double.	<b>65 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 4.50</b> per 100
<b>De Caen (single)</b> (10), (The Giant French or Poppy-flowered Anemon beautiful vigorous growing race of Single Anemones, which produc shaped flowers, should be planted in generous quantities from Noveml late Spring.	e), we strongly recommend this es handsome and large saucer-
<b>De Caen Hollandia</b> (10), a magnificent single variety with large dazz stiff stems.	ling-scarlet flowers held on tall <b>60 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 4.25</b> per 100
<b>De Caen Mr. Fokker</b> (10), a true blue single Anemone producing unexcelled for cutting, lasting a long time in water.	
<b>De Caen Sylphide</b> (10), another beautiful variety of a delicate mauve distinct beauty as a cut-flower and for decorative floral work.	
<b>De Caen The Bride</b> (9), a single pure white flower held on a tall stem.	<b>60 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 4.25</b> per 100
<b>apennina</b> (6), charming dark blue flowers, we strongly recommend this shady border, it is also unsurpassable for naturalizing.	variety for the rock-garden or 75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
apennina alba (6), the starry, graceful white form.	<b>\$ 1.10</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 7.50</b> per 100
apennina purpurea (6), an unusual violet-pink.	<b>\$ 1.10</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 7.50</b> per 100
<b>blanda atrocoerulea</b> (5), <b>(ingrami)</b> , this variety enjoys an unusual a intense deep-blue flowers in early spring, very rich flowering.	<b>95 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 6.50</b> per 100
	<b>\$ 3.00</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 21.00</b> per 100
<b>blanda Blue Star</b> (5), large star-shaped flower of a beautiful deep bluering subject for the rock-garden.	<b>\$ 1.10</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 7.50</b> per 100
	<b>\$ 1.00</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 7.00</b> per 100
<b>blanda Pink Star</b> (5), large beautiful deep cyclamen-pink flowers, intervellow at centre.	\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
<b>blanda rosea</b> (5), producing dainty flowers of a delicate rose colour, v rock-garden.	<b>85 cts</b> per doz.; <b>\$ 6.00</b> per 100
<b>BLANDA MIXED</b> (5), we strongly recommend the Anemone blanda (*ducing in very early spring dainty flowers of beautiful blue and pink of	The Grecian Windflower), pro- olours.  85 cts per doz.; \$ 5.75 per 100
<b>fulgens annulata grandiflora</b> (12), producing large flowers of a brillian centre.	
<b>fulgens multipetala (The Scarlet Windflower of the Pyrenees)</b> (double row of petals and a blue-black base, fine for cutting and plantis	12), rich dazzling scarlet with a
<b>ST. BAVO</b> (10), superfine mixture. The range of colouring is very wide rose, salmon-scarlet, vermilion-red, carmine to crimson and from lipurple.	lac to warm mauve, blue and 75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
St. Bavo purpurea (10), pretty lavender-mauve flower, also very attrac	95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
<b>St. Bavo Salmonea</b> (10), extremely lovely and graceful flowers of delicadmired as a cut-flower and for the rockery	cate salmon-pink colour, greatly

\$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

admired as a cut-flower and for the rockery.



Sternbergia lutea \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100 See page 99





Winter-Flowering Crocus chrysanthus Cream Beauty 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100 See page 82



Winter-Flowering Crocus chrysanthus Blue Pearl 85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100 See page 82



Winter-Flowering Crocus chrysanthus Zwanenburg Bronze 50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100 See page 82



Winter-Flowering Crocus chrysanthus seedlings mixed 50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100 See page 82



Winter-Flowering Crocus chrysanthus Snow Bunting 60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100 See page 82





Winter-Flowering Crocus chrysanthus Blue Bird \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100 See page 82



Winter-Flowering Crocus Tomasinianus Taplow Ruby \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100 See page 83



1. Crocus Remembrance 65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100 See page 85

2. Crocus Little Dorrit 65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100 See page 84

3. Crocus Pickwick 75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100 See page 85

### Bulbocodium

Bulbocodium flower very early, at the same time usually as the Snowdrop and resemble the Crocus in habit and form. Plant 3 to 4 inches deep in a light soil in rockeries or in the front of a border. The pinkish lilac flowers appear before the ribbed leaves which develop later.

vernum, the Meadow Saffron of Spring, attractive pinkish lilac flower, flowering in great abundance in early spring, very fine when planted in small patches in the rock-garden, hardy and very free flowering in March, 4 inches.

\$ 2.45 per doz.; \$ 17.00 per 100

# Brodiaea (Californian Hyacinth)

These exceptionally beautiful plants are undeservedly neglected as they are quite hardy and easy to grow. They prefer a warm position such as at the foot of a south wall or sunny rockery with a medium soil containing plenty of sand or grit. The bulbs should be planted 4 inches deep and 4 inches apart and should be lifted and replanted every four years.

coccinea (Syn. Brevoortia Ida-Maia) this grows a compact head of pendulous green, tipped brilliant crimson flowers, one can scarcely exaggerate the attraction and beauty of this most striking and exciting flower, it is perfectly hardy. Height 2 ft, very scarce.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Mixed, very attractive colours.

**50 cts** per doz.; **\$ 3.75** per 100

### Camassia (The Quamash)

These Bulbous rooted plants with graceful linear-shaped leaves and small flowers borne freely in loose racemes on stems two to three feet high in July make handsome plants for the herbaceous border. They prefer a well-drained soil and are not averse to some shade and moisture but a wet soil in winter will ruin the bulbs. Plant 3 inches deep and 9 inches apart, lift and divide every third year.

**Cusickii**, producing tall elegant spikes of pale lavender star-shaped flowers with pale golden anthers having a rosette of broad glaucous foliage, height 2 feet, hardy and easy.

**\$ 1.20** per doz.; **\$ 8.50** per 100

esculenta (Bear Grass), produces graceful spikes of showy rich blue flowers, should be planted in groups in the border or for naturalizing in woodlands etc. very striking, plant bulbs 4 inches deep and 4 inches apart, 1½ feet high.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

Leichtlinii alba, the white form, well worth having, height 2 feet.

**\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 17.50** per 100

Leichtlinii atrocoerulea, producing splendid spikes of attractive deep mauve-blue flowers, very striking, height 3 feet. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

### Chionodoxa (Glory of the Snow)

A genus of small dainty flowering bulbs producing starry little flowers in all their beauty as the snow is melting thus they are called 'Glory of the Snow'. These extremely hardy bulbs are most effective planted in groups in lawns, banks or under deciduous trees. Plant 3 inches deep and 2 inches apart and as long as they remain healthy do not disturb them but if over crowding lift when the foliage dies and store until planting again in the Autumn.

gigantea (grandiflora), a very beautiful and distinct species with very large flowers of a pleasing shade of soft lavender-blue and clear snow-white centre, strong grower, March-April.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

gigantea alba, most attractive pure white flowers of a very large form, gracefully held on slender stems.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

luciliae, producing pretty flowers of brilliant blue with clear snow-white centre, the most popular member of this family and should be planted in generous quantities.
 45 cts per doz.; \$ 3.00 per 100

luciliae alba, white flowers of delicate beauty. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

luciliae Pink Giant, an exceedingly fine introduction of great merit, producing a very outstanding large spike with lovely pink flowers. A real beauty for the rockery on account of its unusual character and colour.
 \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Iuciliae rosea, fine little gem producing pretty flowers varying from pale-rose to lilac-rose, plant in drifts for a beautiful effect.
90 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

sardensis, true gentian-blue, is of striking beauty and excellent for massive plantings, cannot be too highly recommended, Sardinia.

45 cts per doz.; \$ 3.00 per 100

### Colchicum (Meadow Saffron)

#### Autumn Flowering: Orders should reach us before August 15th

Colchicum are among the most showy of Autumn bulbs with a striking characteristic of thrusting the naked flowers straight from the ground before any foliage appears. The blooms are similar to the Crocus and if left undisturbed will come up year after year while in Spring they will produce a most decorative foliage. They are easy to grow, thriving in any well-drained soil and should be planted 2 inches deep in late August or September, the flowers appear shortly after planting and a broad leafy foliage is produced in the Spring. They can also be grown in a dry state without any water or soil, on the window-sill or alike stood in a container indoor.

autumnale album, the pure white form, 6 inches high.

**30 cts** each; \$ **3.00** per doz.

autumnale minor, rosy-purple, early, 6 inches high (see illustration page 77).

\$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

autumnale roseum plenum, double rosy-lilac flowers, late flowering.
30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
byzantinum (major), producing lovely soft rose coloured star-shaped flowers, perfect form, very free flowering, early.
45 cts each; \$ 4.75 per doz.

speciosum, deep rosy-purple, very large, late, 8 inches high.

30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.

speciosum illyricum (giganteum), fine rosy-carmine with white centre and golden anthers, a beautiful free flowering species.

35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.

### COLCHICUM HYBRIDS

(Large-flowering)

Autumn Queen, rich violet-mauve on white ground, early.

Disraeli, light blue, large well-formed flowers.

Lilac Wonder, one of the best, colour violet-mauve, late.

The Giant, large rosy-lilac flower, small white base.

Violet Queen, F.C.C. Haarlem, violet-blue, very beautiful, extra.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

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Waterlily, an outstanding large double flower of a lovely form, soft rosy-lilac colour, one of the marvels which should be seen to be appreciated; F.C.C. Haarlem, late flowering. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

# **Autumn-Flowering Crocus**

#### Orders should reach us before August 15th

Crocus are generally regarded as Spring-flowering bulbs but with the Autumn-flowering varieties it is possible to have a bright display in the garden during the last three months of the year when a little colour in the garden is appreciated. The flowers appear very soon after planting, before the foliage appears. Plant in late August or September, 3 inches deep in a sandy soil and they can be left undisturbed.

ASTURICUS ATROPURPUREUS (Spain), a charming species with flowers of deep violet, one of the latest to bloom. In our nurseries it blooms late October.

85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

**Karduchorum,** an outstanding novelty of great beauty having pale lavender-blue flowers with broad segments slightly pointed at tips, conspicuous white anthers and a prettily wrinkled frosty white base; flowering September-October, recommended as one of the finest autumn-flowering Crocus, height 5 inches.

35 cts each; \$ 3.50 per doz.

**Medius** (4), showiest of all autumn-flowering Crocus with pretty medium size flowers of a pleasing shade of uniform lilac-blue and deep orange-scarlet spreading stigmata, slightly fragrant.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

nudiflorus (Pyrenees), large purple-lilac flowers with attractive scarlet stigmata, a fine species for establishing and spreading, flowering September-October. 50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

OCHROLEUCUS (Native of N. Palestine and Syria), pretty pale creamy-white suffused with orange towards the base, white anthers and orange filaments, a charming and outstanding variety of great ornamental value, one of the last to come in bloom, height 4 inches.
 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

**pulchellus** (Turkey), very charming cool lavender-blue flower, white anthers and orange throat; in form and habit much like cr. speciosum, flowering September-October.

70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

Salzmannii, large oblong shaped flowers of beautiful silvery-lilac, darker at tips, free flowering.

\$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

- sativus (Italy to Kurdistan), the Saffron Crocus of the ancient world which has been cultivated and praised since the time of Solomon for its scented stigmata, reddish-lilac feathered with violet and deep orange-red stigmata and really worth a place in the garden. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- SPECIOSUS (Eastern Europe and Asia Minor), beautiful upstanding bright blue goblets with violet veinings and vivid orange stigmata, when allowed to go its own way it will increase freely in any part of the garden, shrubberies, or woodlands etc. where they produce carpets and patches of blue in September quite as frolic and rich as those of English Bluebells.
  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- speciosus albus, a very lovely pure white form, has a distinct rich scarlet stigmata, indeed one of the most beautiful in this section, blooms in September.
  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- **speciosus Cassiope,** very large flower of pure aniline-blue with yellowish base, a most distinct and beautiful form, wonderful on account of its deep colour. **60 cts** per doz.; \$ **4.00** per 100
- speciosus globosus, bright blue, the latest of the speciosus group to bloom late October/early November.
  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- speciosus Oxonian, A.M. R.H.S., beautiful large flowers of an extremely fine uniform violet-blue colour throughout producing a striking effect in the garden.

  30 cts each; \$ 3.00 per doz.
- **ZONATUS** (KOTSCHYANUS), a very lovely and hardy species with large lavender flowers which are made particularly charming by the orange coloured band with which the base of the interior of the segments is painted, blooms about fourteen days earlier than speciosus.

**60 cts** per doz.; \$ **4.00** per 100

### Winter-Flowering Crocus Species

For their unsurpassed decorative value these Species deserved to be more intensively cultivated, in particular the rather new strain of Crocus chrysanthus with their elegantly shaped flowers in delightful colours and rich flowering habit. The flowers begin to appear in February and herald the coming Spring. Plant 3 inches deep and they may be left undisturbed for years and increase rapidly. They are also suitable to gentle forcing under cool conditions.

#### COLLECTIONS OF WINTER-FLOWERING CROCUS

50 E	Bulbs	, 10	each	of	5	varieties,	our	selection									٠		٠	٠				\$ 2.00
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- aerius Grey Lady, beautiful soft coloured species of a distinct shading of purplish-lilac on outer petals on a silvery ground. An exceedingly dainty variety. \$1.90 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100
- Ancyrensis (Golden Bunch), may produce 18 to 24 flowers of a uniform glossy tangerine yellow colour, recommended for the rock-garden.

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- AUREUS (MOESIACUS), a rich orange-yellow species from Greece with fairly large flowers and is one of the best for planting in groups or mass plantings among shrubberies and other places where it may seed and spread freely under deciduous trees and shrubs; flowering from January till mid-March it provides the first blaze of colour in the garden in the new year.

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- Balansae, a very beautiful species with rounded segments, interior buff orange, exterior suffused rich dark mahogany brown; flowering in early spring.

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- **Balansae Zwanenburg,** a pleasing bronzy form of Balansae, producing an abundance of dainty flowers and compact habit of growth; a lovely species for the rockery. **60 cts** per doz.; \$ **4.00** per 100
- biflorus (Scotch Crocus), a very hardy, early and free flowering variety with white flowers conspicuously striped with blue-purple on the outside of petals.

  75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- biflorus Adamicus, a very rare variety producing flowers of a beautiful and remarkable shade of lilac with rich featherings, only a few bulbs available.

  40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- biflorus argenteus, a very pretty purplish-feathered Crocus on soft creamy base and silvery lilac petals.

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- biflorus Parkinsonii, dainty species of creamy-white beautifully purplish striped on outside with pure white inner petals.

  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- biflorus Weldeni albus, a lovely Crocus with exquisite rounded flowers of glistening pure white exceptionally free-blooming, forming close tufts of flowers.
  75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- biflorus Weldeni Fairy, a very delicate coloured species, almost silvery-white with a flush of soft lilac on outer petals, the beautifully formed flowers are of fine substance. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- **BIFLORUS WHITE LADY,** a most beautiful novelty of the purest white throughout producing in great profusion close tufts of fine formed flowers, a real gem for the rockery; we regard this as the best pure white in this section.

  \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- candidus subflavus, a dainty miniature species with clear yellow flowers densely stippled with bronzepurple on the outside, very long lasting. 50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

- **chrysanthus Advance**, a unique colouring of yellow and bronze with a shade of lilac-mauve on the outside and creamy-yellow inside, producing an abundance of large delicate flowers.
  - \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Blue Beauty, extremely beautiful shade of pastel blue, darker towards base of petals, a new colour, producing an abundance of flowers. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Blue Bird, a most delightful novelty in soft blue edged white with a creamy-white inside and deep orange stigma, producing beautiful large globular flowers in great profusion (see illustration page 78).

  \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Blue Giant, a most delightful pearly-blue novelty with rich orange stigmata, a charming and free flowering variety of an outstanding delicate colour and excellent lasting qualities, one of the finest in cultivation, A.M. R.H.S. 1957. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- CHRYSANTHUS BLUE PEARL, soft pearl-blue on outside with a clear milky white inside and deep orange stigmata, a most charming pastel coloured new introduction of a very free flowering habit (see illustration page 77).

  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Canary Bird, exceptionally free flowering species of a pretty golden yellow with a bronzy tinged exterior, producing large oval shaped flowers. A gem for the rock-garden with long lasting qualities.

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- CHRYSANTHUS CREAM BEAUTY, a variety of perfect beauty, producing an abundance of flowers of noble form, interior ivory-white shaded deeper down at base, conspicuous deep orange stigmata exterior pale lilac-brown at lower part of petals. A.M. Haarlem (see illustration page 77).
  - 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Dorothy, soft canary-yellow, feathered bronzy-grey on the outside; the flowers are produced in great profusion and are exceedingly dainty.
  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- chrysanthus E. Aug. Bowles, a most wonderful Crocus species, chrome-yellow with a dark bronzy throat and deep orange stigma, flowers are of great substance.

  95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- CHRYSANTHUS E. P. BOWLES, a most distinct member of the Crocus-chrysanthus for garden decoration or choice spots in the rockery, producing large flowers of true buttercup-yellow feathered purplish brown at base but the buttercup-yellow is very dominating, highly recommended (see illustration page 78).

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- chrysanthus fusco-tinctus, deep golden-yellow globular flowers of brilliant intensity, exterior suffused bronze, very free flowering.

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- chrysanthus Goldilocks, a most beautiful and lovely deep yellow novelty, flowers with perfectly rounded petals, dark orange stigmata and purple-brown at the base, producing an abundance of dainty flowers.

  75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Lady Killer, extremely dainty species of a most unusual but fine colour combination of purple-blue with milky white inside. Fine for the rockery. \$ 1.90 per doz.; \$ 13.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Moonlight, F.C.C. Haarlem 1933, very fine chrome-yellow passing to creamy-yellow as flower ages.

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Morning Star, soft yellow on outer petals with pure white inner petals a beautiful colour combination, a new introduction of a very free flowering habit. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Princess Beatrix, a perfect formed new species in blue with an inside of soft lavender blue, a variety of strong sturdy growth and long lasting qualities, rather late.
  - **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100
- chrysanthus Saturnus, a rich yellow coloured species beautifully marked with stripes of blue-purple on outer petals, one of the earliest in bloom producing an abundance of flowers during a long time.

  70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- CHRYSANTHUS SNOW BUNTING, one of the first of this group to flower, with a mass of white flowers with faint featherings of indigo, yellow base and deep orange stigmata, recommended (see illustration page 78).

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- chrysanthus Spotlight, a large flowering introduction of soft sulphur-yellow beautifully striped dark purplish on outer petals producing an abundance of excellent formed flowers.
  - **70 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100
- chrysanthus Warley White, A.M. Haarlem 1933, very beautiful white with yellow throat, outside shaded purple.

  65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100
- CHRYSANTHUS ZWANENBURG BRONZE, A.M. London and Haarlem, a lovely deep yellow with deep almost black-bronze shading on exterior of flowers, very distinct and free flowering. (see illustration page 77).

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- CHRYSANTHUS SEEDLINGS MIXED, this fine mixture has all the good habits of the chrysanthus strain, producing a wealth of flowers of the most delicate forms of all Crocus in cream, gold, primrose, white, bronze and pastel blues, ideal to give early colour in the garden (see illustration page 77).

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

- Dalmaticus, porcelain-blue with yellow throat, bright delicate colouring and large pointed flowers of fine form; this variety deserves more attention and should be planted in liberal quantities, flowering early in February.

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- etruscus Zwanenburg, a very fine species with charming flowers of light bluish violet, flowering for a month and longer with an abundance of blossom, recommended.

  45 cts per doz.; \$ 3.00 per 100
- Fleisheri, a species from Asia Minor has little value for garden decoration but only of interest to collectors, starry formed white flowers with a finally divided scarlet stigmata of great beauty; the corm's tunic is a wonderful piece of natural weaving.

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- Imperati, a very choice and distinct species, flowering from December to March with lovely flowers inner petals violet, outer petals fawn feathered lilac, colours vary as the time of flowering does, it gives a splendid account of itself during the early months of the year. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- Imperati de Jagers var., a very beautiful winter-flowering species with large vase-formed flowers of uniform height, interior pleasing violet, outer petals buff faintly feathered greyish violet, very pretty; limited stock. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- **Korolkowi,** a very interesting variety from Turkestan, interior colour chrome-yellow, exterior densely stippled bronzy-grey on a yellow ground. **70 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100
- laevigatus Fontenayi, an interesting species very much resembling Crocus Imperati, when flowers are open they show a lilac-blue interior with a rich golden-yellow throat and deep orange stigmata, flowers may vary in time of flowering.

  70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- minimus, a very rare variety, petals light violet within and buff feathered with purple on the outside, a pretty and delightful dainty species for the rock-garden.

  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- Olivieri, this is the deepest rich orange-yellow coloured variety in cultivation, flowers are of medium size but very brilliant and decorative, outstanding for beauty and interest. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- Olivieri Jamie, a lovely new species with small brilliant golden-yellow flowers of free flowering habit, very scarce.

  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- Sieberi, a very charming species, producing very early a profusion of soft lavender-blue flowers which have a golden-yellow base and orange stigmata.

  60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- Sieberi Firefly, a wonderful vivid coloured species of fine lilac-pink with bright orange stamens, a very attractive and rich looking Crocus. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Sieberi Hubert Edelsten, a most remarkable and distinct coloured species of rich purple with soft lilac-white feathering at tip of outer petals and silvery lilac inner petals, yellow throat and orange stigmata; a real gem for the rock-garden.

  95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- **SIEBERI VIOLET QUEEN,** producing dainty flowers in great profusion of a lovely lavender-blue colour. Just a few corms planted in the rockery will give a wonderful show. Highly recommended.
  - **50 cts** per doz.; \$ **3.50** per 100
- stellaris, most attractive orange flowers with delicate black lines. 65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100
- susianus (Cloth of Gold), another very early species with yellow flowers, striped glossy brown on outer petals, very charming for the rock-garden for early effect.

  50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- susianus minor, a glorious miniature from Southern Crimea with brilliant starry bursts of goldenorange flowers, very pointed petals, exterior mahogany-brown.
  65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100
- **Tomasinianus**, a pretty shade of pale sapphire-lavender with silvery-grey outside, a charming early flowering variety and one of the best to naturalize in grass and woodlands. **40 cts** per doz.; \$ **2.50** per 100
- Tomasinianus Barr's Purple, a peculiary etvery attractive shade of reddish-purple not seen in any other Crocus, a drift or group of them in full flower is very accommodating. 40 cts per doz.; \$ 2.50 per 100
- Tomasinianus Lilac Beauty, soft pearl blue with rich orange stigmata and broad rounded petals. A most delightful Crocus lasting in bloom for weeks.

  45 cts per doz.; \$ 3.00 per 100
- Tomasinianus Taplow Ruby, the most outstanding Crocus in this section, flowers dark ruby-purple the finest deep coloured form yet introduced (see illustration page 78). \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- TOMASINIANUS WHITEWELL PURPLE, another particular shade of purple not seen in any other Crocus, very charming and free flowering.

  45 cts per doz.; \$ 3.00 per 100
- vernus Haarlem Gem, a distinct form with lilac-blue flowers of medium size. Hybrid of C. Tomasinianus and not unlike this species in appearance, although later to bloom. 50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
- vernus Vanguard, a very early flowering Crocus of a most distinct and charming colour, pretty ageratum-blue outside of flower french-grey, a very interesting hybrid which we can strongly recommend for naturalizing. It is easily brought into flower by Xmas when potted early.
  - **75 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100
- vernus Vanguard Violet, a beautiful uniform violet coloured sport of C. Vanguard, a most striking new variety for the rock-garden or Alpine House, for early forcing. 75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- versicolor picturatus (Cloth of Silver), white, prettily feathered ruby, a gem for the rock-garden.
  70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

# Large Dutch Crocus

These large-flowering Crocus are true heralds of the coming glory of the Spring garden. Crocus will grow almost in any soil and almost anywhere and can be left 'put' for many seasons. It is most important that Crocus should not be planted deeply and just a light covering of soil is all that is needed. They can be forced but care should be taken to bring them on slowly and in an airy place.

Our Customers write us at times about mice destroying the bulbs. Mice are very partial to Crocus bulbs and this can generally be avoided if the bulbs are steeped in water for a minute or so and then rolled in

red lead powder just at the time of planting.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF CROCUS**

Something very attractive to have in bloom in pots during winter is a collection of our choice large flowered Crocus. Plant thickly in pots immediately on receipt and plunge the pots in peat fibre or ashes. Crocuses cannot stand artificial heat and should be grown as cool as possible and given water freely when removed from the plunging bed. If the temperature is too high they will go blind. These collections can, of course, also be used for more liberal plantings in the garden.

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#### CHEAP CROCUS FOR LARGE PLANTINGS

These Crocus which are offered in colours, are larger than what is usually sent out for extensive plantings and they may be relied upon to produce a great profusion of blossom. Purchasers may rest assured to receive extremely good value for the reduced price at which we offer the Crocus.

Mauve (one large-flowering variety)					•-			٠		<b>\$ 3.75</b> per 100; <b>\$ 32.50</b> per 1000
Blue (one large-flowering variety)										<b>\$ 3.75</b> per 100; <b>\$ 32.50</b> per 1000
Striped (one large-flowering variety)					٠					<b>\$ 4.25</b> per 100; <b>\$ 37.50</b> per 1000
White (one large-flowering variety)	٠						٠			<b>\$ 4.25</b> per 100; <b>\$ 37.50</b> per 1000
Purple (one large-flowering variety)				a		٠				<b>\$ 4.00</b> per 100; <b>\$ 35.00</b> per 1000
Yellow										

Superior Mixture of all Colours. This superior mixture contains purple, amethyst, mauve, lavender, white, yellow and striped colours and produces an enchanting effect when planted in lawns or at the side of driveways, under trees in the orchard or anywhere in the garden to give colour in the early days of Spring.

\$ 3.75 per 100; \$ 32.50 per 1000

Early Perfection, a free flowering large Crocus of a delightful deep mauve purple colour with a brilliant orange stigma, very effective garden variety.

75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

Excelsior, one of the largest and most beautiful Crocus in existence, each bulb producing several huge flowers of a pleasing shade of a warm lilac-blue colour with a large conspicuous dark orange stigma, very beautiful.

80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100

Jeanne d'Arc, a very fine novelty and the largest of all pure white Crocus, an exquisite variety of vigorous growth, strongly recommended.

80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100

Kathleen Parlow, large globular pure white flowers with golden anthers, the best pure white variety with fine lasting qualities, strongly recommended.
\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

LITTLE DORRIT, a most pleasing shade of silvery amethyst-blue with a soft lilac sheen, producing very large flowers of an ideal shape and texture, it is named after one of the characters in one of Charles Dickens' novels and is not a 'little' Crocus but one of the largest in cultivation (see illustration page 78).
65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Negro Boy, a distinct shade of glossy blackish-purple, one of the darkest in this section, but undoubtedly the most fascinated variety for colour and a gem for the garden.

**85 cts** per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

Pallas, producing very large white flowers, prettily feathered lilac with a very showy orange stigma, one of the best striped varieties.80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100

Paulus Potter, dark ruby purple, with remarkable sheen producing a warm and rich effect, a new variety of outstanding beauty, large flowers of perfect form, in our opinion the best of all purple Crocus.

85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

**Peter Pan,** the most glorious white of outstanding purity with large conspicuous orange stigmata, may be regarded as one of the best in its colour producing large flowers in great profusion.

**80 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.50** per 100

- PICKWICK, a novelty and one of the largest and most beautiful striped varieties in cultivation, colour pale silver lilac with lovely deep lilac stripes and featherings, beautified by an enormous golden-orange stigma, no variety produces such huge flowers of splendid form, substance and greater profusion, very distinct (see illustration page 78).

  75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- Purple Beauty, a most delicate colour of deep purple-blue with large orange stigmata, a striking new Crocus of superb quality of strong and free flowering habit.

  80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100
- purpurea grandiflora, rich deep purple colour, producing immense large flowers of fine shape, very
  valuable for pot-culture.
  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- **REMEMBRANCE**, one of the best Crocus in cultivation, produces an abundance of beautiful flowers of a very pleasing shade of soft purple-blue, flowers are of great size, have a lovely form and are of good height; obtained an Award of Merit R.H.S. in London 1932, strongly recommended (see illustration page 78).

  65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100
- Striped Beauty, soft striped lilac, glossy purple base, a handsome striped variety, flowers are of good size.

  80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100
- **DUTCH YELLOW MAMMOUTH,** a top favourite with large deep golden-yellow flowers produced in great abundance in advance of other Large Dutch Crocus; it is said to be a common plant but probably it is one of the most extraordinary Crocus in cultivation, retaining its undiminished vigour after more than two hundred years of wide cultivation; flowers are sterile and long lasting.

**60 cts** per doz.; **\$ 4.25** per 100; **\$ 37.50** per 1000

# Cyclamen (Hardy)

The hardy species of Cyclamen are delightful dwarf-growing plants and once established will grow close enough to form a carpet and produce bright little flowers on half shaded rockeries or in clumps in a fairly dry border. They prefer well-drained sites and thrive much better with a little lime rubble incorporated in the soil. The Autumn varieties should be planted about 4 inches deep while the Winter and Spring flowering varieties should only be covered with about 2 inches of soil.

Autumn-flowering; orders should reach us before 15th August

**cilicicum,** very beautiful pink flowers with a touch of crimson at the base, borne in great profusion on short stems with beautifully marbled leaves, flowers in September–October.

**90 cts** per 3; \$ **3.00** per doz.; \$ **21.00** per 100

Europeum (pyrenaicum odoratum), rosy-crimson, sweet scented flowers, one of the most beautiful.

90 cts per 3; \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

**Neapolitanum (hederaefolium),** the Ivy-leaved Cyclamen, a very beautiful species producing in fall an abundance of pale rosy-pink flowers; in spring silver-marbled foliage contrasts beautifully with Scilla, Chionodoxa and Muscari; September flowering.

**75 cts** per 3; **\$ 2.50** per doz.; **\$ 18.00** per 100

**75 cts** each; \$ **2.00** per 3

Winter and Spring-flowering Hardy-Cyclamen

Atkinsii, very attractive species with marbled foliage, flowering in February-March.

Atkinsii album, pure white, conspicuous red eye.75 cts each; \$ 2.00 per 3Atkinsii crimson, beautiful bright crimson.\$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Atkinsii roseum, soft rose-pink. 75 cts each; \$ 2.00 per 3

Coum, producing dark green rounded foliage, flowering February-March.

Coum roseum, beautiful shades of rose and pink colours.

Coum album, fine blush-white flowers, purple eye.

75 cts each; \$ 2.00 per 3

75 cts each; \$ 2.00 per 3

Repandum (vernum), flowering in April and May bright crimson flowers, its foliage is handsomely silver-marbled, very attractive. 75 cts per 3; \$ 2.50 per doz.; \$ 18.00 per 100

### **Eranthis** (Winter Aconite)

Eranthis are one of the early Spring flowers, the golden buttercup-like blossoms resting on emerald green cushions of leaves produce a most charming effect in the early days of the year. The Tubergenii variety is a cross between cilicica and hyemalis giving large flowers. The tubers should be planted 2 inches deep and rather thickly and will naturalize in a fairly well drained soil.

cilicica, a very lovely species from Asia Minor, deep yellow, foliage bronzy and more finely cut as E. hyemalis, it also blooms a little later.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

hyemalis, very pretty Buttercup like flowers of bright yellow, may be grown under trees and in moist situations; one of the first flowers out in bloom in Spring.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

**Tubergenii**, a very beautiful new hybrid with large golden-yellow flowers of great size. Flowers are sterile and thus last a long time, much recommended. \$ 1.45 per doz.; \$ 10.00 per 100

### Eremurus (Foxtail Lilies)

The Foxtail Lilies as they are frequently called are ideal for the back of a border or shrubbery where they are sheltered from high winds. Their stately form always command admiration and are effective among other shrubs. The crowns should be planted in a rich soil in October and November covering with about 4 inches of soil, spreading out the large horizontal roots. It is advisable to cover the roots in frosty weather with a covering of bracken etc. They are partial to a plentiful supply of water during the growing season and to avoid damage to the young shoots by slugs it is as well to place small heaps of a 'slug killer' around the plants.

Bungei, F.C.C. R.H.S., enormous flower spikes with expanded citron-yellow flowers, vigorous plant, height 4 feet, very beautiful, flowering in June.

60 cts each; \$ 1.50 per 3 top size roots.

Shelford Hybrids, a new race of most exciting beauty, large strong flowers in various modern pastel shades from salmon to golden-brown, from sulphur-yellow to orange, especially recommended for a better display: height 4 to 5 feet. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3 top size roots.

# Large-Flowered Freesias

Freesias are entirely indoor bulbs and their exquisite beauty and delicacy together with their delightful fragrance are good reasons for their popularity. Plant six corms in a 5 inch pot in a compost of two parts sandy loam, one part leaf mould and one part welldecayed manure. After planting place the pots in a cold frame and cover with one inch of soil for about one month, when they may be placed near the glass in a cool greenhouse. Water sparingly but when growth appears gradually increase the supply. If flowers are wanted somewhat earlier temperature in the greenhouse may be gradually increased from 50 to 60 degrees, but this should be done very carefully. It is not possible to grow Freesia in the open, the corms

for this culture are specially prepared and can only be supplied in the Spring.

Rainbow Mixture of Freesias, a delightful mixture made up from beautiful and fragrant varieties of a great many lovely shades; such as rose, pink, ruby, salmon, apricot, coppery-bronze, yellow and lavender 85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

Apotheose, A.M. R.H.S., splendid variety of sturdy habit, flowers carmine flushed silvery white throat, one of the best Freesias under cultivation, highly recommended. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

**Blue Banner,** an attractive shade of clear sky-blue, white throat, a new variety of quality because of its deep colour and excellent form, very outstanding flowers borne on rigid strong stems.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100



Large-Flowered Freesias

Buttercup, a very charming and refined variety, primrose-yellow with orange shading, very attractive flower of splendid substance, this robust variety had an Award of Merit in 1927, no one should be without this particularly good Freesia, strongly recommended. 75 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

Caro, an exceedingly fine variety with large open perfectly shaped florets of a lovely ivory-yellow colouring shading ivory-white in the throat; an ideal Freesia in all respects, very dainty blossoms of an unusual purity and sweetly scented.

\$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

Giant Pink, very large perfectly open flowers of a lovely cherry-pink colour on the edge and silvery white in throat, very substantial flowers borne on a rigid strong stem which makes it ideal as cut-flower, outstanding novelty in colour, very scarce. \$2.15 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100

Maryon, a very beautiful and refined variety of a pretty mauve-blue which may be regarded as the best in this colour, producing large wide expanded flowers of perfect form and sweetly scented.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Orange Sun, a decidedly fine colour in this section, a glorious deep orange with a touch of amberbronze on the reverse of the lower petals shading down to bronzy-yellow in throat, very exquisite blossoms of refined beauty carried gracefully on a stiff stem. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Princess Marijke, an outstanding colour of a warm orange-brown with coppery yellow throat, exceedingly fine variety in all respects with good sized blooms of strong texture and borne on rigid stems.

\$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100

**Rynveld's Golden Yellow,** a brilliant flower of deep golden-yellow, beautifully marked with a vivid orange blotch producing strong branched stems and enormous sprays of well-formed open florets. The best yellow ever raised, F.C.C. Haarlem, 1953. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

**Sapphire,** a very charming and elegant Freesia with large wide open flowers of perfect form and delicious scent; a lovely soft sapphire-blue coloured variety with pure white throat borne on an erect stem.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

**Snow Queen,** an amazingly beautiful variety with enormous white flowers of perfect form and habit standing erect on strong stems, surpassing all others for size.

\$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

White Giant, the largest pure white Freesia in commerce, broad petalled flowers of perfect form and deliciously scented, borne on stiff stems, undoubtedly one of the best pure whites yet raised. \$ 1.75 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

# Fritillaria Meleagris

(Snakeshead Fritillaria)

Snakeshead Fritillaria as they are frequently called are easy to grow and very suitable under trees in a slightly shaded position although they thrive in the sun. Once established they will continue to thrive but dislike interference at the roots so they should be planted where they are not likely to be disturbed. A planting of a mixture of Fritillaria Meleagris will provide a most attractive show giving plants varying in height from 9 to 12 inches. Fritillaria require deep planting and should be given a covering of at least 4 inches of soil and about 6 inches apart.



Fritillaria Meleagris

**85 cts** per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

**85 cts** per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

#### COLLECTIONS OF FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

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Saturnus, large flowers pinkish chequered.

Poseidon, whitish, veined purple.

# Fritillaria Imperialis

(Crown Imperial)

The Crown Imperial is a most stately and hardy border plant providing a large pendulous shaped flower and curiously mounted by a green crown of leaves for many years. Plant deeply in the Autumn about 6 to 8 inches and 12 inches apart. A good rich soil is required and care should be taken in heavy soils to avoid moisture settling in the centre of the bulb which causes decay, this can be overcome by planting the bulb on its side. They can be left undisturbed and will continue to thrive.

aurora, coppery-red with buff-shading.

\$ 1.75 each

De Jager's Favourite, producing a beautiful umbel of soft orange flowers on a strong erect stem.

\$ 2.50 each

lutea maxima, golden yellow, fine large plant.

\$ 2.25 each **\$ 1.50** each

rubra maxima, deep coppery-red, robust plant, one of the best (see illustration page 92).

# Early Flowering Gladioli

These early flowering Gladioli belong to various races and are similar in form to the large flowering type although the flowers are more dainty. They are carried on wiry stems about 18 inches high and make ideal cut-flowers; if cut when the bottom florets begin to open the rest will gradually open in water and so give a prolonged period of beauty. The corms should be planted in the Autumn in a rich soil about 3 inches deep and 6 inches apart; a plentiful supply of bone-meal in the soil is a splendid aid to obtaining prize blooms.

byzantinus, a very beautiful and distinct plant, much admired in the border, flowers are of a bright **85 cts** per doz.; **\$ 6.00** per 100 rosy-purple, also valuable for naturalizing.

byzantinus albus, a white form of this very charming border- and cut-flower.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Colvillei rubra, attractive carmine-pink somewhat deeper in centre, excellent cut-flower of strong **90 cts** per doz.; \$ **6.50** per 100

Colvillei The Bride, a refined variety with pure white flowers, early and best for forcing.

**90 cts** per doz.; **\$ 6.50** per 100

grandis tristis, a very uncommon sweetly scented species from South Africa with lovely creamy white open flowers on a wiry stem, a most distinguished and attractive Gladiolus, fine for cutting.

**\$ 2.00** per doz.; **\$ 14.00** per 100

nanus Amanda Mahy, F.C.C. Haarlem, a beautiful spike of bright salmon-pink with small violet **\$ 1.00** per doz.; **\$ 7.00** per 100 flakes, very nicely shaped florets.

nanus Charm, a very elegant and charming variety producing fine spikes of purple-lilac flowers, \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100 valuable for cutting and decorative purposes.

nanus Nymph, an ideal variety for forcing as well as for cutting, large pure white flowers with showy \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100 carmine flakes, very beautiful and choice.

nanus Peach Blossom, a beautiful variety of soft salmon-pink blotched dark pink and cream, highly \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100 recommended as a cut-flower.

nanus Spitfire, a lovely vermilion-scarlet flower with small violet blotches edged deep scarlet, one of **\$ 1.00** per doz.; **\$ 7.00** per 100 the best for cutting.

nanus Varieties in Choice Mixture, this mixture may be relied upon to contain all good useful **90 cts** per doz.; **\$ 6.50** per 100 varieties.

# Hyacinthus (Species)

These elegant Alpine Hyacinths are most suitable for naturalizing in grass or in clumps in a border or rockery. The charming spikes of flat amethyst blue are a valuable asset in the Spring garden, flowering from April to end of May to a height of about 6 inches. Planting should be 2 to 3 inches deep and about

amethystinus albus, the pure white species.

**85 cts** per doz.; **\$ 6.00** per 100

amethystinus coerulea, lovely amethyst-blue, plant both varieties. azureus, see Muscari azureum page 95.

**65 cts** per doz.; **\$ 4.50** per 100

dalmaticus (Bellevallia dalmatica), producing very attractive dainty flowers of bright azure-blue. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Hyacinthus, other varieties see Muscari page 95.

### Irises (Bulbous Rooted)

It would be difficult to name any other hardy bulbs that repay the trouble of cultivation better than the Iris. Their blossoms compete in richness and variety of colours with the choicest and most beautiful of Orchids. They are most easy to cultivate and succeed splendidly in almost any soil. As cut-flowers they are particularly useful as the blooms last well if cut when the buds are opening.

#### DUTCHIRIS

#### **COLLECTIONS OF DUTCH IRIS**

These Iris are similar to the Spanish type but are somewhat stronger in growth and bear larger blooms from May onwards. Plant in September and October 3 inches deep and about 4 inches apart in a gritty soil. The Wedgwood and Imperator are particularly good for forcing and are much used by Florists.

50 E	Bulbs	, in 5 e	choice	and o	distinct	varieties,	our	selection				. ,			\$ 2.50
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500	22	., 5	22	22	22	17	22	,,		4					\$ 20.00

**Grand Mixture of Dutch Iris,** made up from named varieties and includes all existing shades, providing a fine group of flowers in the garden at a small outlay. Strongly recommended for cutting.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.25 per 100; \$ 40.00 per 1000

**Blue Champion**, F.C.C. Haarlem, enormous flower of pale uniform wedgwood-blue, one of the largest of this section, the colossal flowers are carried on tall stems a novelty of great merit.

95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

- Blue Giant, A.M. R.H.S. 1959, A.M. Haarlem 1958, a beautiful new introduction of deep indigo blue marked with a conspicuous deep orange blotch on falls, a magnificient formed variety of strong constitution, most outstanding for colour. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.
- Blue Pearl, rich navy-blue with a velvety sheen, a graceful Iris, in colour similar to the dwarf Iris reticulata, a flower of great beauty and extremely lovely cut-flower.

  65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100
- Bronze Beauty, a remarkable combination of colours, standards distinct bronzy-blue, falls deep bronze with yellow blotch, the large flowers are carried on strong stems.

  80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100
- Bronze Queen, A.M. Haarlem, quite a new colour in the section, bronzy-blue with velvety-bronze falls marked with a conspicuous orange blotch; very fine.
  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- **Harmony**, this is a lovely variety, appropriately named on account of its colour being a harmony of pastel shades, standards a dainty shade of blue, falls soft yellow with orange blotch.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

- Imperator, undoubtedly one of the most beautiful of deep blues, this Iris makes a splendid effect whereever it is grown and should certainly be planted in generous quantities, exceedingly valuable as cut-flower. 60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100
- **Joan of Arc,** A.M. Haarlem, a magnificent large-flowered, milky white variety with a large yellow blotch on petals, perfect form of enormous substance on a long strong stem, beyond all doubt a delight in the garden and unusually beautiful as a cut-flower with great lasting qualities, very early.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

- King Mauve, a handsome rich mauve flower, just a shade deeper than Mauve Queen, a distinct variety of outstanding colour and excellent substance. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- Lemon Queen, F.C.C. Haarlem, a distinct and attractive flower of unusual colouring, standards citronyellow with sulphur-yellow falls, a colour not seen in the section before. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Mauve Queen, a very beautiful bold flower with bright mauve standards and pearly-violet falls with a yellow dash.

  85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- **Orange King,** F.C.C. Haarlem 1950, a unique and very charming variety of refined quality, the colour is a uniform deep orange-yellow, the plant has no rival in height, habit and general character, in every respect an enchanting variety, one of the most lovely Irises yet produced, late flowering.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Pride of Holland, one of the most beautiful deep golden yellow varieties up to date producing a flower of unusual large size and perfect form not approached by any other Iris.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Princess Beatrix, A.M. Haarlem, the largest deep golden yellow variety as regards flower and stem. A very vigorous grower, most useful in every respect, a new introduction of charming habit and very useful as cut-flower, also fine garden plant.

70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

**Princess Irene**, A.M. Haarlem, this is one of the finest introductions, pure white standards with deep orange falls, very large flower of splendid form and habit (see illustration page 91).

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Wedgwood, this particularly beautiful Tingitana-hybrid is one of the best forcers for which we strongly recommend it, growing large flowers on strong tall stems with pale wedgwood-blue standards while the falls are of a paler shade with a pale yellow blotch, very early.

70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

White Excelsior, the best white variety of this class, robust and free grower, strongly recommended. 50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

White Perfection, this large pure snowy-white Iris is of stately grace carried on a tall strong stem, the large flowers are of enormous substance, beyond all doubt a delight in the garden and very useful as a cut-flower.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Yellow Queen, a very attractive tall growing Iris, producing golden-yellow flowers, a beautiful variety.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

#### SPANISH IRIS

The fragrant Spanish Iris, natives of Spain and Portugal, are similar in character to the Dutch Iris but make a smaller growth and flower about two weeks later, they can therefore be grown in succession to the Dutch variety and are most valuable as cut-flowers, the spikes can be cut when in bud and will open well in water and last a considerable time. They thrive in a gritty soil that is not heavy or damp. Plant 3 inches deep and about 6 inches apart in October and November.

#### COLLECTIONS OF SPANISH IRIS

50 E	Bulbs	, 10	each	of	5	named	varieties	٠	•	٠	٠	٠	٠	•	•	•	٠	•	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	•		. •	•	\$ 1.75
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Grand Mixture, specially made up from named varieties (see illustration page 91).

90 cts per 25; \$ 3.00 per 100

Blue River, light purple-blue standards with sky-blue falls blotched yellow, a delightful colour combination and extremely fine for cutting.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Cajanus, the best yellow variety of this class, colour golden-yellow with orange blotch on lower petal, invaluable as a cut-flower.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

Canary Bird, uniform golden-yellow with deep orange mark on falls and beautifully fringed petals, highly recommended for fine flower-work.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Enchantress, an exquisitely beautiful flower of fine porcelain-blue, a very vigorous grower and most useful in every respect.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

Frederika, pure white with deep yellow blotch on falls, a most elegant and well-shaped flower on a slender but strong stem, nicely scented.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

King of the Blues, a variety that should be grown in every garden, a wonderful flower of a beautiful rich deep blue with a distinct yellow blotch on falls, very sweetly scented.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

Le Mogol, this is an outstanding and beautiful variety on account of its large flowers of rich bronzy-purple and chestnut-brown with showy yellow blotch on falls, strong grower.

**60 cts** per doz.; **\$ 4.00** per 100

L'Innocence, a splendid white flower with yellow blotches on falls, grows a rather small bulb, fine for the garden and for cutting.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

Yellow Pearl, a beautiful self-coloured golden-yellow with a distinct orange blotch on falls, a splendid garden variety and invaluable as a cut-flower.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

#### VARIOUS BULBOUS IRIS

Bakeriana, a very charming and early-flowering species with soft blue flowers and a deep purple blotch on the falls, a very choice true species. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.

bucharica, flower standards and falls satiny-white, the latter having a large yellow apricot blotch and central ridge. Robust growing species, flowering towards the end of April. It will do best in a sunny well-drained spot in the rock-garden, where a group will make a fine display.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100



Spanish Iris mixed 90 cts per 25; \$ 3.00 per 100 See page 90



Dutch Iris Princess Irene \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100 See page 90



Double Peony Festiva Maxima 80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3 See page 97



Double Peony Mons. Jules Elie 80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3 See page 97



Iris reticulata
50 cts per doz.;
\$ 3.50 per 100
See page 93



Fritillaria Imperialis rubra maxima \$ 1.50 each See page 88



Ixia Mixed 65 cts. per 25; \$ 2.25 per 100 See page 93



Allium Karataviense \$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100 See page 74



Ixiolirion
Pallasi
50 cts per doz.;
\$ 3.50 per 100
See page 94



Sparaxis Mixed
50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100
See page 99



Oxalis Adenophylla \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100 See page 96

**DANFORDIAE**, a most charming species from Asia Minor with bright canary-yellow flowers shading into greenish-yellow at the base of the segments, recommended for the rock-garden. Sometimes flowering as early as the end of January.

85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

histrioides major, a most distinct Oxford-blue Iris of delicate beauty and charm, producing large flowers of exceptional substance and durability, a real treasure for the rock-garden and alpine house, giving pleasure for weeks, very scarce.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

**RETICULATA** (**THE FRAGRANT IRIS**), a most lovely and useful Iris, producing out of doors in February–March charming deep violet-blue flowers with conspicuous golden-yellow blotch on lower petals, invaluable for naturalizing, also exceedingly useful for pot-work, flowers scent like Violets, strongly recommended and quite hardy (see illustration page 92). **50 cts** per doz.; \$ **3.50** per 100

reticulata Cantab, a lovely flower, pale blue standards and pale violet-blue falls with a golden blotch, recommended for pots and rock-garden. Awarded F.C.C. R.H.S. \$3.00 per doz.; \$21.00 per 100

reticulata Clarette, a beautifully coloured new introduction, clear sky blue standards with deep blue falls, marked with a white flake, a distinct improvement on Cantab, it is quite the best light blue in the garden and a gem for the rockery or alpine house.

75 cts each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

reticulata Harmony (hybrid), beautiful pansy-blue, small yellow central ridge on blade of falls, a large form of the common reticulata and of more substance and durability, very suitable for pot culture and a gem for the rockery.

40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

reticulata Hercules (Velvet), of the same habit as I. reticulata but the flowers have a very pretty shade of claret-purple, very distinct and beautiful.

60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100

reticulata Joyce (Hybrid), F.C.C. Haarlem 1944, uniform clear blue, orange central ridge on the blade of falls, beautiful hybrid between histrioides × reticulata, lasting long in good condition and very suitable for growing in pots.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

reticulata J. S. Dijt, an early-flowering variety with reddish-purple flowers, sweetly scented, very fine.

80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100

reticulata Royal Blue (Hybrid), a very fine large flowered form, can be described as a full Oxfordblue, flowers are much larger than Iris reticulata and have broad well formed falls with yellow blotch. 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

reticulata Wentworth (Hybrid), glowing Royal purple-blue, in all respects a great improvement on I. reticulata, beautiful broad falls with yellow blotch, sweetly scented. 40 cts each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

tuberosa (Snakeshead Iris), producing very showy flowers of rich velvety-black and green, very curious species, flowering in March-April. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Vartani alba, a rare and lovely winter-flowering species from Nazareth, Palestina with slate or white flowers veined with soft blue and violet, yellow crest. A little treasure for Alpine house or sheltered spot in the rockery, height 6 inches or less.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

## Ixia (African Corn Lily)

These African Corn Lilies, as their name implies, are natives of South Africa, they are very free flowering producing long graceful racemes of delightful coloured blooms on strong wiry stems about 16 to 18 inches high and make an ideal flower for cutting. Plant 3 inches deep and about 3 inches apart in a sandy loam and sunny position where they can be left undisturbed. Give a covering during winter. They can also be grown as pot plants and given the same treatment as Freesia but the pots should be plunged to their rims in peat or ashes in a sheltered position until February when they may be brought into a cold-frame.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF IXIAS**

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Choice Mixture, a good mixture of Ixias specially made up from named varieties, contains a great variety of lovely colours (see illustration page 92).

65 cts per 25; \$ 2.25 per 100

Afterglow, orange-buff, exterior bronzy, very distinct and attractive, 12 inches.

**70 cts** per 25; **\$ 2.50** per 100

Appleblossom, a lovely shade of soft pinkish-white, 12 inches. 70 cts per 25; \$ 2.50 per 100

azurea, distinct shade of blue with purple centre, 12 inches. 70 cts per 25; \$ 2.50 per 100

Blue Bird, outstanding milky-white variety, conspicuous blue centre, 14 inches.

**70 cts** per 25; **\$ 2.50** per 100

bucephalus major, large flowers of lovely carmine, vigorous plant, 24 inches.

**70 cts** per 25; **\$ 2.50** per 100

Conqueror, inside dark lemon yellow, dark red centre, outside carmine-red. 12 inches.

**70 cts** per 25; **\$ 2.50** per 100

Giant, very distinct shade of soft creamy-white, 14 inches.

Hogarth, creamy-yellow, purple eye, large flowers, 12 inches.

Hubert, coppery-red, shaded violet, free flowering, 10 inches.

Invincible (Monarch), a pretty flower, carmine-purple, rather tall, 14 inches.

Jenny Lind, beautiful silvery-pink, 8 inches.

Rose Queen, extremely fine soft peach-pink, 8 inches

Venus, distinct purple, large flowers, long stem, 12 inches.

Vulcan, a good scarlet, shaded orange, 10 inches.

Wonder (rosea plena), another distinct variety with double flowers of a brilliant pink, very pretty, 8 inches.

Yellow Prince, uniform clear yellow, large flower, 10 inches.

70 cts per 25; \$ 2.50 per 100
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### **Ixiolirion**

A graceful bulbous plant frequently known as the Ixia Lily producing a number of semi funnel-shaped flowers in May and June on wiry stems some 16 inches high amid greenish-grey long narrow leaves. They are elegant cut-flowers and deserve a more extensive cultivation. The bulbs should be planted 3 inches deep about 6 inches apart in a sheltered position in a well-drained soil and can be left undisturbed although it is advisable to give them a protective covering in the winter.

Ledebouri, an early flowering edition of the well-known Pallasi with a lighter shade of porcelain-blue.
It requires a fairly open sunny position, 15 inches, May flowering.
65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Pallasi (tataricum), dark violet-blue, flowering at the end of May, very elegant and showy, long lasting, height 18 inches (see illustration page 92).

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

### Lachenalia (Cape Cowslips)

Lachenalia are generally regarded as house plants although they can be grown outdoors in a mild district. Grown indoors they are most elegant flowers for the greenhouse and flower profusely. The bulbs should be potted in the early Autumn, 6 bulbs to a 5 inch pot with a compost of two parts loam, and equal parts of leaf mould and sand. Place the pots in a cool frame until the end of October, giving water sparingly, as soon as growth appears more water can then be given but on no account over water, when the buds appear give a weak liquid manure about once a week until the flowers open. The drooping tubular flowers carried on erect stems appear from February till May.

Nelsoni, rich golden-yellow bells faintly marked green and a reddish stem, very fine and of free flowering habit. 50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

pendula, 12 inches, bright coral red, edged sea-green and purple. Large flowers on long spikes. Blooms end of December and lasts a long time as a pot plant.

45 cts each; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Piersonii, unusual fine bright orange colour with a flush of red on the tip of flower, short stem, excellent for pot-culture.

80 cts each; \$8.00 per doz.

quadricolor conspicua, fine deep orange with yellow-red tops and narrow purplish margin, which gradually fades when flower ages, early.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

## Leucojum (Snowflake)

Leucojum or Snowflake as they are frequently called are easy to cultivate and thrive almost in any well-drained soil. They resemble the Snowdrop in form although a much larger flower. The L. aestivum are often referred to as the Summer Snowflake and form elegant plants in April and May with flower spikes about 16 inches high. L. vernum or Spring Snowflake flowers in late February to April and as it is only about 6 inches high it is frequently confused with the Snowdrop. Each petal is tipped with green giving them a most fascinating and charming appearance. Plant in Autumn 4 inches deep and 4 inches apart, preferably in a shady part than in the full sun. Once planted they can be left, in fact the least disturbed the better they thrive.

aestivum (Summer Snowflake), white with twin flowers of drooping habit on long stems, likes a cool place; flowering in April-May, height 1½ feet. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

vernum, flowering in February and March with dainty little bell-shaped flowers of pure white, beautifully tipped with pale green or yellow markings at end of petals, perfectly hardy and very valuable for naturalizing in any particular soil or position, 14 inches. \$1.15 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100

# Lilies for Early Shipment

The Lilium Candidum is the snow-white Madonna lily with a delicious fragrance. Bulbs should be planted on arrival in September with only 1 inch of covering soil in a sunny part and left undisturbed. L. excelsum bears handsome apricot flowers with distinct scarlet anthers and reflexed petals. Plant 4 inches deep in a loamy soil and partial shade and the flowers will appear in June.

Lilium candidum (The White Madonna Lily), purest satiny-white silver chalice like flowers of

delicious fragrance, limited stock, height 3-5 feet. Fine mammoth bulbs. Plant shallow.

50 cts each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Lilium excelsum (testaceum), handsome apricot coloured flowers with distinct scarlet anthers and reflexed petals, plant 4 inches deep in good loamy soil and half shade, lime loving, June flowering, height 5-6 feet. \$ 2.00 each

### Muscari (Grape, Starch and Feathered Hyacinths)

The Muscari is often referred to as the Musk Hyacinth because of its scent and is easy to grow in all its forms, being of a dwarf nature it is a most excellent plant for the rockery although clumps in the border give a bright appearance. The bulbs should be planted in September and October about 3 inches deep and 4 inches apart, once planted they can be left to grow and multiply. Some varieties are also suitable for forcing in pots in a cool greenhouse and make very desirable indoor plants.

#### COLLECTIONS OF MUSCARI

50 E	Bulbs	, 10	each	of 5	varieties	s, our s	election			٠.										•	٠	•	•			\$ 2.25
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armeniacum Cantab, (8), a very pretty new introduction, flowers bright clear Cambridge-blue; very free flowering on short sturdy stems, sweetly scented. \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

AZUREUM (HYACINTHUS AZUREUS), (5), flowering in February–March with dainty spikes of Cambridge-blue, produces a charming display in the rock-garden on grassy banks or may be used for edgings or massed in the flower border.

40 cts per doz.; \$ 2.50 per 100

azureum album (praecox album), (5), one of the most dainty and pure white varieties in this section start flowering early March, long lasting.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

azureum amphibolis (freynianum), (6), flowering with delicate pale blue flowers after Azureum.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

botryoides album (White Grape Hyacinth), (6), bearing pretty little fragrant, pure white flowers, valuable for the garden and for pot-culture.

60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100

comosum (the Tassel Hyacinth), greenish with purple tops.

85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

EARLY GIANT (ARMENIACUM), (8), one of the finest, producing very large flowers of a strong perfume and of a very pleasing brilliant blue colour, strongly recommended for forcing and naturalizing in borders, rockeries and woodlands and extremely effective if liberal quantities are planted in combination with yellow Trumpet Daffodils and Fosteriana Tulip Red Emperor, very long lasting.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

latifolium, (5), upper part of flower-spike pale blue, lower part dark blue. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100 Massyanum, (8), one of the most distinct and rarest of all Muscari, starting from brilliant carmine, it passes through increasingly dark crimson to crimson-brown and finally warm pinkish-yellow, a most striking colour combination, long lasting qualities, late May. \$ 1.75 each

moschatum flavum (macrocarpum), (6), purple, turning clear yellow, a little beauty for the sheltered corner and of marvellous fragrance, flowering March-April. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Old Blue, (8), most attractive evenly coloured soft cobalt-blue, spikes of erect habit long lasting and very suitable for early forcing.

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

paradoxum (5), (Starch Hyacinth), very distinct variety with large nearly black flowers of good size and form.

85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

plumosum (8), (Ostrich Feather), bearing in May splendid spikes of a violet-blue colour, having the appearance of a feathery plume, very attractive. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

racemosum, (5), a deep navy-blue dwarf variety with compact flower heads, the darkest in this section, very valuable for the rock-garden.

60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100

**TUBERGENIANUM**, (8), a fine new species from Persia of free flowering habit, an enchanting point is its colour, as the top of the spikes becomes clear blue and the lower part more deep blue, a very attractive variety in colour. Flowering mid-April with strong spikes. \$1.20 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100

# Ornithogalum (Star of Bethlehem)

These are most hardy and free-flowering plants, suitable for naturalizing in woodlands, shrubberies, grassy banks or in the border flowering in Spring and early Summer. Any ordinary drained soil suits the bulbs, plant from late September to November 3 inches deep and 4 inches apart and once planted they need no further attention and will produce masses of star-like blossoms.

arabicum, (18), a very conspicuous and showy plant, grows large umbels of small glistering white flowers on tall stems, especially fine for cutting, requires little protection.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

nutans, (12), producing graceful heads of silvery grey flowers, shaded somewhat greenish, can be 60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100 naturalized in grass, May-June.

umbellatum (Star of Bethlehem), pure white starry flowers, quite hardy, very fine for the rock-**50 cts** per doz.; \$ **3.50** per 100 garden, in masses and edgings, most effective, height 8 inches.

### Oxalis

There are a number of species of this genus but the two we offer are the most popular and easy to cultivate. O. Adenophylla with its dwarf lilac-pink flowers and crinkled foliage is most attractive. O. Deppei with its dainty coppery-red blossoms and clover like leaves never fails to draw attention. Plant in a sunny position about 2 inches deep. They are also very easy to grow as pot plants in a greenhouse. Plant the bulbs in a pot with a compost of sandy loam and leaf mould covering the bulbs only with about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch of soil with 8 to 9 bulbs to a 5 inch pot. After potting place in a cool place until growth appears and then move to the light. No water should be given until growth appears and then only sparingly with an occasional application of liquid manure.

Adenophylla. A lovely species from Chile forming small compact rosettes of foliage and dainty small, lilac-pink flowers. Height 3 inches. Strongly recommended for the rock-garden in a very sunny posi-\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100 tion, flowering May to July (see illustration page 92).

**Deppei** (Syn. Tetraphylla). Pretty deep rosy-red blossoms with clover-like leaves curiously marked with bands of purple; it is called: 'The European Lucky Clover' or 'The American Shamrock'. Plant **60 cts** per 25; **\$ 2.00** per 100 6 inches deep in sunny spot. Mid-August.



Puschkinia libanotica

# Puschkinia

#### (The Lebanon Squill)

This dainty Scilla-like plant from Asia Minor is a most suitable plant to grow in clumps on a sunny rockery and planted in drifts give a most pleasing effect. Plant in a sandy soil 3 inches deep and 3 inches apart in a partially shaded position where they can be left undisturbed.

libanotica, pale blue, 6 inches, good carpeting plant, March-April.

**50 cts** per doz.; \$ **3.50** per 100

libanotica alba, a pure white form of libanotica, March-April.

**70 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100

### **Double Peonies**

#### HOLLAND GROWN STURDY YOUNG ROOTS WITH 3 TO 5 EYES

Ready for shipment in November.

Culture: Peonies will thrive in a sunny or partly shaded place in well-dug, deep and rich soil, they should be set so that the eyes are definitely not below two inches under surface of soil. Do not plant Peonies where Peonies have been planted before, unless all the old earth has been removed and fresh earth substituted. Never use fresh manure, use bone-meal or decayed manure in early spring as a top dressing. The Peony detests having its ground invaded by tree roots, they like moisture, specially in hot and dry summers. Peonies take some time to become established, but once established they provide a glorious display of blooms.

The number following each name is the rating for quality and habit.

#### **COLLECTIONS OF PEONIES**

1	root	each	of	3	named	varieties	, our	selection	•					•		•				•	•	•	٠		\$ 2.25
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- Adolphe Rousseau, (8.5), a very distinct, rather semi-double-flower, producing very large flowers of a deep garnet, a very attractive garden plant. Early mid-season.

  90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Albert Crousse, (8.6), a beautiful shell pink, producing large compact bomb shaped flowers, very outstanding. Late mid-season.

  80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Alice Harding, (8.9), a remarkable variety which produces colossal creamy white flowers with a tinge of pink, which makes it very attractive.

  90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Baroness Schroeder, (9.0) an excellent late variety, on first opening it is white with a tint of pink soon fading to pure white, fragrant, excellent for cutting. Late mid-season. 80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Bunker Hill, magnificent full double flower of a uniform soft carmine-red colour on a strong sturdy stem, excellent cut-flower. Early.

  80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Duchesse de Nemours, (8.1), a lovely early sulphur-white flower, with shadings of green at base of petals, flowers are borne on very strong stems. Early mid-season.

  80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Felix Crousse, (8.4), an excellent brilliant red variety, producing medium to large globular, typical bomb shaped flowers, a fragrant good splendid variety. Late mid-season. 90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Festiva Maxima, (9.3), an early paper-white flower with crimson fleckings in the centre. Fragrant, good as cut-flower. Mid-season (see illustration page 91).

  80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Karl Rosenfield, (8.8), a fine brilliant rose-red, slightly fragrant flower, good garden variety and fine for cutting and show purposes. Early mid-season. 90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- **Kelway's Glorious,** (9.8), very large fragrant flowers of a fine lacy white colour, flowers are borne on strong erect stems, in our opinion one of the best. Late mid-season. \$ 1.50 each
- Lady Alexander Duff, one of the older varieties, but well-known for its marvellous fine pink colour and beautifully formed flowers, very fragrant and early.

  80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Laura Dessert, (8.8), this exquisite variety produces round flowers with creamy white guard petals and a pure canary-yellow centre, highly recommended. Mid-season. 90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Le Cygne, (9.4), a very attractive creamy white flower, which is very large and delightfully fragrant.

  An extra fine variety. Mid-season.

  \$ 1.50 each
- Madame Leonie Calot (Glory of Boskoop), one of the most free flowering soft salmon-pink varieties of a beautiful double form, lovely sweetly scented and early flowering.

  90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Mons. Jules Elie, (9.3), a very beautiful silvery pink, one of the largest and best for cutting, early flowering with pleasing fragrance. Mid-season (see illustration page 91). 80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3
- Mons. Martin Cahuzac, (8.8), a very dark coloured Peony, producing medium-sized globular flowers of a very deep garnet. Mid-season.

  90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Peter Brand, very dark glistening maroon red of uncommon beauty, a new introduction of beautiful form and colossal size, one of the best ever raised. \$ 1.50 each
- Primivere, (8.6), a beautiful variety, producing very large flowers, deep cream-coloured outer petals and a deep sulphur yellow centre, very attractive. Mid-season.

  90 cts each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Reine Hortense, (8.7), a uniform deep pink variety, with guard and centre petals marked crimson, an outstanding variety for garden and show purposes. Mid-season.

  80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3

Sarah Bernhardt, (9.0), a splendid variety, colour apple-blossom-pink, petals tipped silvery-white, very free flowering and flowers are of good form, fragrant. Late mid-season. 80 cts each; \$ 2.25 per 3

**Solange,** (9.7), large compact flowers, outer petals white, deepening towards centre with shades of orange and bronze, very beautiful and strong grower. Late mid-season. **90 cts** each; \$ **2.50** per 3

**Therese,** (9.8), a very outstanding variety of a soft shell-pink somewhat lighter in centre, it is very free flowering and a vigorous grower. Early mid-season. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Walter Faxon, (9.3), a remarkable flower, colour a bright shell pink with salmon shades, the medium-sized flowers are exceptionally suitable for show purposes. Mid-season. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

### Giant Ranunculus

Ranunculus Grandiflora Choice Mixed Colours. One cannot really appreciate the bold and brilliant beauty of this new strain of Peony-Flowered Ranunculus until having planted some patches in the garden to see the wonderful colours of this long stemmed and very free flowering new race. It almost contains all colours of the rainbow. They require a sunny, well-drained position in the garden and they can be planted from December until April. Plant 2 inches deep, giving protection in the winter. Flowering in May-July, height 10 to 14 inches.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

### Richardia (Calla)

Richardia are frequently known as the Arum Lily and the Zantedeschia. They are valuable greenhouse plants and much used for Church decoration. The flower is an erect club-like spadix enclosed by a large funnel shape spathe. The bulbs should be planted one in a 6 inch pot in a good fibrous soil mixed with sand and bone meal. The pots should remain in a temperature of about 60 degrees and when blooms appear they can be moved into the room etc. As cut flowers they will remain in a good condition for a long period when stood in a deep vase.

aethiopica (Afrikana), the well-known white Arum Lily, easy house plant to grow. Plant one in a pot in late fall with top of tuber barely covered with rich soil, plenty of water should be given during growing period, extra large tubers.
50 cts each; \$ 1.25 per 3

Elliottiana, the golden Arum Lily is offered in our spring catalogue.

### Scilla (Squill)

(Early flowering)

Scilla are charming plants for early Spring flowering and are most attractive when planted in drifts and masses; being dwarf and compact they are also most effective in borders as well as in bowls for indoor plants. The S. Tubergeniana is a most striking variety, flowering in March and April. As the bulbs vary in size, a safe guide is to plant the bulbs about 3 times their depth during October and November.

**amethystina**, (5), a most attractive novelty for the rockery, producing beautiful pyramide formed flowers of deep azure-blue, very outstanding in this section and of long lasting quality.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

bifolia, (5), dwarf deep blue flowers which bloom with the Winter Aconite in February, excellent for masses and edgings in borders and in the rock-garden.

45 cts per doz.; \$ 3.00 per 100

bifolia rosea, (5), beautiful star-shaped flowers of a soft rose-pink colour.

85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

pratensis, a handsome plant from Yugoslavia, flowering in May with blue flowers, anthers purple, while unopened buds are marked green.

95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.75 per 100

sibirica (The Siberian Squill), bright blue flowers, dwarf compact habit, excellent for pot-culture and also delightful in the garden in early spring. Height 3 to 4 inches.
60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100

sibirica alba, the pure white form of sibirica. 65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

sibirica Spring Beauty, (6), twice the size of S. sibirica, lovely delphinium-blue, of upright habit. They are sterile and thus last a long time in bloom, while the rich flowering spikes are produced in succession.

95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.75 per 100

TUBERGENIANA, (6), soft blue on a silvery white ground a very outstanding and early flowering novelty, a beauty for the rockery and very successful for pot-culture. Small clumps and tiny patches of this variety are much admired for their brightness of colour, when there is hardly anything else in flower in February or March.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

# Scilla Campanulata

(May-flowering)

Commonly known as the Wood Hyacinth and English Blue Bell is extremely hardy and thrives in any soil and shady parts which are entirely unsuitable for most plants. Plant about 3-4 inches deep in October and November and they will flower in May and June. They are excellent pot plants but should be forced gently.

alba maxima, producing strong spikes of open bell-like

flowers of the purest white.

**70 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100 Blue Oueen, producing erect spikes of a charming porcelain-blue shade, vigorous grower and very free flowering, recommended. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100 Excelsior, bearing extra large bold spikes of a bright blue colour with unusual large bells, very strong and **70 cts** per doz.; \$ **5.00** per 100 sturdy habit. Rose Queen, a very pretty soft lilac-rose variety, distinct colour. 70 cts per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

#### **NEW GIANT** SCILLA CAMPANULATA

A new strain Giant Scilla Campanulata having very large flowers of very fine merit and substance. They are effective for planting in groups, flowering time May-June. Choice Mixed Scilla Campanulata, for naturalizing in woodlands, shrubberies, etc.



New Scilla Campanulata

Blue Giant, splendid deep blue bells on strong stems of erect habit. Myosotis large spikes of light-blue, very free flowering, recommended. 80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100

Peach Blossom, producing large flowers of a pale rose colour.

Perle Brilliant, light blue, extra fine. Queen of the Pinks, dark rose, very vigorous plant, extra fine.

White Triumphator, a very robust variety of recent introduction producing very large pure white

flowers, extra good.

80 cts per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100 85 cts per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

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Sparaxis

Sparaxis are a race of Cape bulbs with narrow leaves and graceful flower stems. The flowers usually average about 2 inches across and on account of the combination of colours are frequently referred to as the Harlequin Flower. They are of the same habit as Ixia and are very good pot plants. Sparaxis require a warm position and well-drained soil with some protection in frosty weather. Growing to about 8 inches they should be planted about 3 inches deep.

Beautiful Mixture of many Sparaxis varieties, including Fire King (see illustration page 92).

50 cts per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100

Fire King, (8), flaming red with conspicuous yellow pencilling and black at base, one of the choicest 60 cts per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100 varieties, extremely lovely in the rock-garden.

### Sternbergia (Autumn-flowering)

Bulbs are not available after September 1st.

lutea, producing an abundance of rich golden yellow, Crocus-like flowers in autumn. It thrives well and happily in a well-drained position with a southern aspect, where they may be left undisturbed for years. Plant bulbs 4 to 5 inches deep. In cold districts they should be protected against severe frost. They may also be grown in pots or bowls to flower a few weeks after planting (see illustration page 77). \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

### **Tritonia**

A pretty genus flowering in June and July with leaves about 6 inches long and slender flower stems growing to about 12 to 15 inches with orange shaded flowers having a broad short funnel. It is not suitable as an outdoor plant except in very mild districts, so should be grown in a cool frame or greenhouse with the same culture as for Ixia.

crocata Orange Delight, a very pleasing shade of orange, a strong, long lasting branching flower of \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

great beauty.



Single Snowdrops

ful and curious, limited stock.

# Snowdrops

(Galanthus)

There is nothing more pleasing in the garden than a large batch of the snowy graceful blossoms of the Snowdrops at the end of January. Permanent plantings of Snowdrops should be done in partly shady situations. Bulbs should be planted almost touching each other.

**Elwesii,** (7), very large flowering species with immense snowy-white globular flowers, very early. Asiatic form.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

**nivalis maximus,** (8), robust growing variety with large flowers on long stems, very fine. \$ **1.40** per doz.; \$ **9.75** per 100

nivalis viridi-apice, (7), flowers are white tipped green on outer petals, very beauti-\$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Double Snowdrops, (6), (Galanthus nivalis flore pleno), the well-known Double Snowdrop, having large globular blooms of peerless white with a touch of green inside, gracefully carried on their slender stems and most satisfactory for naturalization.

95 cts per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100 Single Snowdrops, (6), (Galanthus nivalis), this lovely common Single Snowdrop is favourite in the

earliest part of the year; very attractive when grown in grass or woodlands and shady places.

65 cts per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100; \$ 40.00 per 1000

## Tecophilea (Chilian Blue Crocus)

This species from Chili with its Crocus-like flowers of gentian-blue have a fragrant similar to the Sweet Violet and is certainly one of the loveliest of the Spring flowers. It can be grown outdoors but requires some protection. The safest culture is in the greenhouse; the corms should be set one inch deep and one inch apart in a compost of equal parts of loam, leaf mould and sand, plunge the pots to their rims in a bed of ashes in a cold frame until growth appears and then place in the greenhouse. No water should be given until growth appears and then in moderate supply.

cyanocrocus, a rare but glorious deep gentian-blue species with conspicuous small white centre, narrow bright green glossy leaves, two inches in length and from them upon three inch stems flowers which have a resemblance to a crocus, but the brilliancy of the colour is of beautiful intensity. It is completely hardy, but is so rare that it is probably best grown in the safety and shelter of a pan in the Alpine house.

\$ 3.00 each

Leichtlinii, beautiful soft sky-blue with conspicuous white eye in centre, very effective. \$ 1.00 each violacea, another fine violet coloured specimen of this rare family, only a few bulbs available, very charming. \$ 1.00 each

### Triteleia

An attractive and desirable little bulbous plant, which has been known under a variety of names, such as Triteleia, Triteleia conspicua and Milla. It is a very beautiful little plant when grown in drifts between shrubs or in a pocket in the rock-garden. Bulbs are inexpensive and deserve a much wider popularity and a place in every garden. Plant 3 inches deep, May flowering. May be forced under gentle conditions. uniflora, colour white, uniformly shaded blue, height ½ feet.

70 cts per 25; \$ 2.50 per 100 violacea, a pleasing colour of soft violet-blue.

90 cts per 25; \$ 3.00 per 100

### Veltheimia

Veltheimia Capensis, a native of South Africa and is most attractive with its broad wavy edged leaves about 7 inches wide and with flower spikes about 24 inches high, not unlike the Red-hot Poker. They are essentially indoor plants and bulbs—one bulb to a pot—should be planted in October and November in a compost of loam, leaf mould and sand. Start growth in a low temperature and as soon as growth appears they can be given heat gently; little further attention is required, an occasional watering and the flowers will appear from the latter part of the year until the Spring. \$ 3.50 each

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